

Cloudy with snow flurries today;
Friday cloudy and warmer, followed
by rain.

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COMMITTEE REFUSES TO PLACE BAN ON USE OF NAVY TO CONVOY SUPPLIES TO BRITISH

1,000 Nazi Technicians and Airmen Serving in Libya

Divebombers Raid British Army and Fleet, an Italian Prisoner Reveals

Thousands of Other Prisoners Taken Aboard British Transports; Say Australians Are Rough

ABOARD A BRITISH WARSHIP AT TOBRUK, Libya, Jan. 29 (AP)—Approximately 1,000 German technicians and airmen now are stationed in Libya to aid the Italians against the British, an Italian prisoner said today.

The technicians represent the majority of Germans and the "German divebomber pilots have been raiding the British army and fleet," he said.

This prisoner was one of thousands pouring into Tobruk to board British transports shuttling steadily between this captured Fascist port and Egyptian bases.

Many of these prisoners talked eagerly when they saw the American correspondent's insignia on my uniform.

One who said his father lived in New York said:

Australians "Very Rough"

"The Australians are good men, but they were very rough with us." The Fascist prisoners did not seem surprised when they were told the British estimated they had taken nearly 130,000 Italians since the push westward started from Sidi Barrani, Egypt.

The British estimated that their transports already had removed 20,000 prisoners for the Tobruk area, boosting to 75,000 the total transported to Egyptian ports.

Officers appeared confident here that thousands more would be captured in the operations against Derna, ninety-five miles west of here.

Capture War Supplies

Enough war supplies have been seized, they said, to almost equip the entire British army in Libya

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Los Angeles Area Rocked by Quake

Heavy Shocks Reported; No Property Loss of Fatalities

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29 (AP)—The Metropolitan Los Angeles area was seized late today by a sharp earthquake lasting about ten seconds, but there was no property damage or loss of life reported.

The shock began at 5:34 P. M.

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State Labor Relations Act Asked In Bill Introduced by Rep. Houck

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 29 (AP)—A bill introduced by Rep. Houck would be empowered to call negotiation conferences and the interested parties would be compelled to attend.

At the end of the second ten-day period, if the "public interest" section of the proposed law were involved, another thirty days would elapse while the gubernatorial inquiry proceeded.

The governor's commission would be authorized to issue subpoenas and take individuals into court on contempt citations if the subpoenas were disregarded.

Special labor conciliators could be appointed by the governor when needed, under the Houck bill, at \$15 a day each.

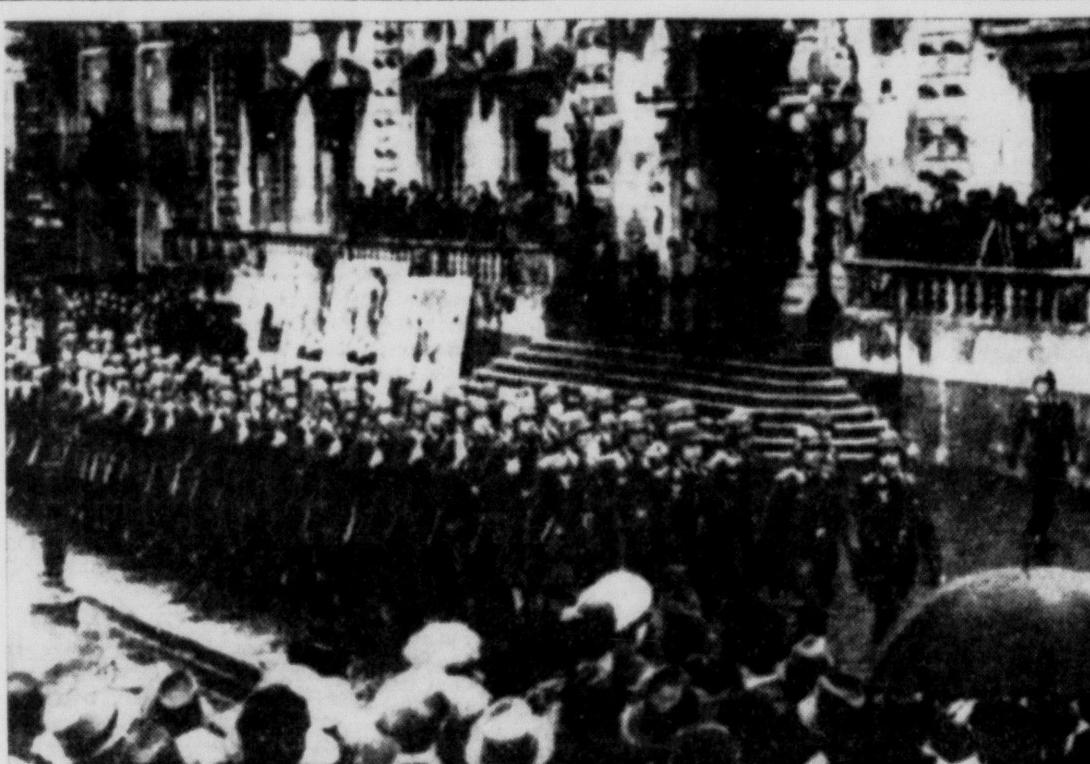
A "closed shop" would be prohibited under the bill by a section which specifies "employees shall have the right of self-organization and the right to form, join, or assist labor organizations, to bargain collectively . . . and to engage in lawful, concerted activities for the purpose of collective bargaining or other mutual aid or protection; and such employees shall also have the right to refrain from any and all such activities."

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GERMAN TROOPS MARCHING THROUGH ITALY



These troops bearing infantry equipment are members of the German air force, pictured marching through an unarmed Italian city, according to information passed by the Nazi censor. The citizens watch the procession with mixed emotions. Photo was flashed by radio from Berlin to New York.

Britain To Sell Last of Shares In U. S. Concerns

Will Use Money To Buy Warplanes, Ships, Tanks, Munitions

LONDON, Jan. 29 (AP)—Britain disclosed tonight she is about to tap her last big nestegg of dollar resources in the United States—British owned and controlled business enterprise—to buy warplanes, ships, tanks and munitions.

A treasury statement said the government had spent "a very great proportion" of its gold and was selling United States securities "steadily."

Now, it was asserted, the treasury plans to get dollars to meet purchases in America from the sale of British-owned businesses in the United States and United States companies which are controlled by Britain's shares.

A leading expert on such matters, Sir Edward Peacock, will arrive in the United States shortly, and he is expected to knock down such British businesses and companies to the highest bidder.

A treasury spokesman said he was unable to give the value of these resources because their shares are not listed on the stock exchange and "probably the owners themselves do not know what they are worth at the market."

Sir Edward is a director of the Bank of England and of Baring Brothers and Company, a banking company.

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Hitler To Speak On Anniversary Of Rise of Nazis

Fuehrer To Deliver Radio Address in Berlin This Morning

BERLIN, Jan. 30 (Thursday) (AP)—Adolf Hitler will address the German people at 4:30 p. m. (9:30 a. m. Eastern Standard time) today on this eighth anniversary of "Der Tag" when the Nazis rose to complete power in the Reich.

This was announced by the German press, which said:

"Today, the day of the Nationalist revolution, the Fuehrer will talk to the German people. The address will be carried on all German radios at 4:30 o'clock.

"Following the news reports the address will be repeated at 8:20 p. m."

Previously, authorized spokesmen had stated that they knew nothing of any projected talk by Hitler.)

By special decree, the usual holiday was forbidden. Children were ordered to report to their school classes, workers to their jobs on the 8:20 p. m.

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British Aviators Attacking Fascist Troops in Drive In Eastern Libya

Italians Not Expected To Defend Derna, but May Make Their Final Stand at Bengasi

CAIRO, Egypt, Jan. 29 (AP)—Royal Air Force planes leading the way for the British desert forces aimed at the cleanup of the Libyan port of Derna were reported by the RAF command to have ground-strafed Fascist troops retreating all the way to Barce, 100 miles west of the menaced town.

With British mechanized forces reported operating south and west of Derna and threatening Italy's hold on all eastern Libya, the Fascist retreat indicated Mussolini's men apparently had decided against making a fight at Derna.

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As to the Balkans, the informant declared that Nazi mechanics and technical troops in civilian dress were preparing airfields in Bulgaria and that there were eight to ten German divisions in Rumania.

These preparations, he added, might signal a Nazi drive southwards to Saloniaka to isolate the Greeks in Albania and, with a strong concentration of bombers, to attempt to close the Mediterranean to large British convoys.

Pressure Increasing

"Our pressure on enemy forces in the Derna region is increasing," was all today's GHQ communiqué had to say of the land operations in Libya.

But the RAF command, giving more details, said that in addition to strafing the retreating Italians, its planes ranged over the Libyan sands providing protection for the advancing desert fighters.

On the landing field at Martuba, near Derna, RAF pilots said they found eleven Italian planes abandoned and unseizable. Three others were spotted nearby, damaged in earlier machine-gunning and bombing attacks.

British Aviators Active

The air activity in Libya was but

one phase of the latest RAF assaults, which included raids upon Italian outposts on two other African fronts and night attacks upon Naples, western Italian port, and Axis air bases on the island of Sicily.

Hundreds of miles down in Africa, the middle east command reported, operations in the Agordat-Barentu sector of Italian Eritrea, about eighty miles from the Sudan border, were "developing." The capture of seventy-three prisoners was credited to British forces pursuing Fascists retreating from Umm Hagar.

"Vigorous patrol activity" was said to be continuing in many areas inside Italian Somaliland. On the Ethiopian front the situation was described as "unchanged."

Situation in France

FRANCE: The Germans might

occupy the rest of France, but

should they do this "it is possible

that French forces in the colonial

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Morgenthau Calls For Debt Limit Of 65 Billions

Says Present Borrowing Power Will Be Exhausted in Four Months

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 (AP)—De-

claring that the treasury's borrow-

ing power would be exhausted in

four months, Secretary Morgenthau

called on Congress today to raise the

federal debt limit from \$49,000,000

to \$65,000,000 and to tap new

sources of cash.

He appealed before the House

Ways and Means committee in sup-

port of a bill which, in addition to

raising the debt ceiling, would make

future federal securities taxable and

empower the treasury to issue small-

denomination stamps or certificates

so the government could borrow

"from real savers" rather than from

banks.

Reach Limit in May

Daniel Bell, undersecretary of the

treasury, told the committee the

debt limit would be reached about

mid-May, according to conditions

known today, and Rep. Gearhart

(R-Calif.) asked Morgenthau about

the government's "ability to meet

its obligations."

"That's why we are here today,"

Morgenthau replied. "That's the

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British Military Authority Doubts Nazis Will Cross On a Large Scale

Believes Germans Are Too Busy in the Balkans and with Helping the Tottering Italians

BY DREW MIDDLETON

LONDON, Jan. 29 (AP)—A British military authority suggested today that the expected early attempt of the Germans to invade England might be abandoned because of the necessity of giving large-scale help to the Italians and the exigencies of Nazi military adventures in the Balkans.

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Admiral Raeder

Predicting that "Greater Germany" will win the war, Grand Admiral Eric Raeder, commander-in-chief of the German navy, told Kiel shipyard workers that a concentrated effort will be made to cut Great Britain's sea lines of communication and supply. The speech was regarded as confirmation of the expectation that German sea and air attacks will be intensified shortly in preparation for an invasion attempt.

The battle of Britain: when and if the invasion comes, it probably will be accompanied by attacks on Ireland for diversion, but "the real danger spot" is on the southeast coast where the offensive would have the support of fighter aircraft from French bases. They might land, said the spokesman, "but we will blow 'em off the beaches."

SPAN: Indications are that the Spanish will not give the Germans a free passage through to attack Gibraltar and drive into North Africa. Formal opposition by the battered Spanish army might be

slight.

Congress Asked To Curb Strikes On Navy Projects

Vinson Patterns Bill after the Railway Mediation Act

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 (AP)—An influential House member asked Congress today to curb strikes in industries producing naval supplies a short time after 400 to 500 union workers had walked off a \$1,550,000 army construction job at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio.

The legislation, introduced by Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.) of the House Naval committee, would forbid a strike on any naval project until thirty days after a naval defense labor board had filed a report on the dispute. In this respect, the (Continued on Page 2, Col. 7)

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47 Survivors of Army Transport Tell of Night of Horror at Sea

KETCHIKAN, Alaska, Jan. 29 (AP)—

Forty-seven survivors of the wrecked army transport Ketchikan were landed here today and told of a night of horror during which three men drowned.

The storm sent the 1,000-ton ship on the rocks of the Canadian coast Monday night and because of giant waves it was a full hour before a lifeboat could be launched.

Two lifeboats finally got away but a third, with ten men aboard, was picked up by a wave and overturned, drowning chief radio operator W. O. Reeves; Juan Peralta, second cook, and Chris Sigan, a seaman.

One survivor, an unidentified seaman, managed to come under the boat but another wave tossed him against a rope ladder on the ship. He hooked his arms around the ladder where he later was found unconscious.

Barr Questioned At Secret Quiz Of Legislators

Educator Asked about St. John's \$63,000 a Year Appropriation

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 29 (AP)—An unexpected and unprecedented secret "hearing" before the Senate Finance committee for President Stringfellow Barr of St. John's College climaxed the 1941 legislature's busiest session today.

While Barr was undergoing questioning behind closed doors, in connection with St. John's \$63,000-a-year state appropriation, Dr. H. C. Byrd, University of Maryland president, was discussing his institution's \$3,640,000 budget before an open hearing of the House Ways and Means committee.

Chairman Dudley G. Roe ordered the executive session of the Finance committee without consulting Barr and despite the fact the college head was to testify on budget matters of public interest. Roe refused to give reasons for the order. Two weeks ago, finance committee members criticized St. John's pointedly, one member calling St. John's students "loungers." After today's meeting, informed sources disclosed Barr met no criticism at all today.

No Cracks at Barr

These sources said the committee "didn't make any cracks at Barr to his face—in fact, everything was sweetness and sunshine."

Observers promptly concluded the executive session was designed to prevent an inference that the Finance committee had "talked out of turn." It was the first time in the memory of veteran state house attaches that any hearing—particularly one involving the budget—had been held in secret.

Dr. Byrd, at the other extreme, spent virtually the entire day before the Ways and Means committee. Ultimately, he offered to invite "any committee" to make any item-by-item study of the university's budget; further, he offered to halt immediately expenditures of any money which such a committee found was being spent uselessly or improperly.

Chairman John White said a ways and means sub-committee would accept the invitation.

Backs Guard Bill

Testifying before the joint House and Senate Militia committees, Maj. Gen. Milton A. Reckord, commander of Maryland's national guard called for immediate passage of the pending state guard bill, asserting the war department was prepared to equip Maryland's home defense unit immediately—if and when the bill passed.

He said he had submitted organization plans for the unit to the governor but that nothing could be done until the legislature acted. The measure needed no amendments, he asserted, and followed the exact wording of the state militia act.

"This bill, in my judgment, doesn't need to be touched, gentlemen," Reckord declared, adding that world affairs required swift legal action to create a home defense unit. The state's national guard goes on active duty next week.

Legislation to establish a state labor conciliation service and prevent, by statute, strikes and lockouts except as "last resort" measures was introduced in the House by Delegate F. H. Houck.

Houck's bill, modeled after Minnesota's Labor Relations act, would create a labor conciliator's job at an annual salary of \$4,500. No strikes or lockouts could take place under the act without ten days notice to the conciliator and all parties concerned.

If arbitration failed to settle the dispute in 10 days, and "public interest" would be affected by a strike or lockout, the governor would be authorized to appoint a special inquiry board and force a further 30-day delay pending a complete investigation of the matter.

Delegate Nicholas Ropka (Dist. Balto.) introduced a state wage-hour bill, calling for 30-cent hourly minimum wages until 1945, when the wage would increase to 40 cents. The bill provides for a maximum eight-hour day, 40-hour week in Maryland after Oct. 1, 1941.

Delegate Denmead Kolb (D-Wisconsin) and about 47 other assemblymen sponsored legislation which would require that safe-driving courses be taught in all county high schools.

The instruction cars would be furnished, maintained and insured by the state police department and state police officers would have "immediate supervision" of the instruction. If the state police officers could not continue instruction in any county, the county board of education would be authorized to discontinue accompanying classroom instruction.

Los Angeles

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6:34 EST) and was felt in Alhambra, San Gabriel, Monrovia, Glendale, Monterey Park, Temple City, Santa Monica, Pasadena, Hollywood, Arcadia and on the Los Angeles county coastline.

The earthquake was localized, however, and did not extend southward to San Diego, or northward to Santa Barbara.

Los Angeles experienced a severe jolt. Many residents in Alhambra, San Gabriel and Monterey Park ran into the streets.

WHITE HOUSE FLOODED WITH DIMES



Mail bags loaded with dimes are arriving by the truckload at the White House as America responds overwhelmingly to the appeal for funds to combat infantile paralysis. Extra clerks were engaged to open, sort and count the money. Here is the busy mail room in the executive mansion.

AFL Strike Ties Up Defense Work

Employment of Non-AFL Electricians Causes Trouble in Ohio

DAYTON, O., Jan. 29 (AP)—A controversy over employment of four non-AFL electricians today precipitated a strike of AFL-building trades workers at Wright field and halted construction on a \$1,550,000 army air corps expansion program.

John Breidenbach, president of the Dayton building trades council, reported the strike affected from 400 to 500 union members. There were no picket lines.

Col. Lester Miller, field commandant, said he was informed the electrical workers were CIO unionists.

"Dayton is an AFL community," said the officer. "It's a fight. I have reported to the war department that it is a jurisdictional dispute."

Breidenbach insisted "there is no jurisdictional dispute," asserting the electrical workers "are not union men so far as we are concerned." He contended the American Federation of Labor policy against strikes on defense projects did not apply because the policy relates specifically to jurisdictional controversies between AFL unions.

Col. Miller said Isaac Penner, president of the Penner Installation Co. of New York, employer of the electrical workers, told him the concern has a CIO agreement nationwide in scope.

The Penner employees continued installation of equipment in a \$1,000,000 dynamometer laboratory for airplane motor altitude tests. Other projects under construction include a huge wind tunnel, torque stands and an administration building addition.

Private Walter Horner and Norman Hooks, both of Indianapolis, also were so badly injured they could not be moved from Laurel to the camp Shelby base hospital. The three soldiers were riding in a baggage car being used as a kitchen. A rail buckled and pierced the bottom of the car.

ITALY: Germany cannot afford to let her fall out of the war. As a result, German troops and aircraft are moving through Italy in considerable numbers."

NORTH AFRICA: General Sir Archibald P. Wavell, the British commander, "can no longer afford to take the chance he did, because of the presence of the German air force. The matter of supporting Wavell has become more difficult."

More Opposition in Libya

This authority said the developing attack on Derna, Libya, slowed down momentarily because the British had encountered stronger opposition than they expected at the road junction of Mekili—seventy to eighty Italian tanks and parts of two Italian divisions.

The troops were part of the recently-mobilized thirty-eighth division from Indiana, West Virginia and Kentucky. They were en route to Camp Shelby, near Hattiesburg, for a year's training. The majority of the "injured" were from Indianapolis.

The soldiers were from the One Hundred Thirty-Ninth and One Hundred Fiftieth field artillery regiments and One Hundred Forty-First and One Hundred and Fifty-Sixth Infantry. All except part of the One Hundred Fiftieth were from Indianapolis.

Among the injured was private Roy Merriman of Norton, W. Va., One Hundred Fifty-Fifth field artillery.

"It's orders," he said, "were to go and guard the road back of Sidi. It had supplies for five days. If Sidi hadn't fallen in five days we'd have withdrawn our troops and the whole campaign would have been abandoned for the time."

West Virginia Girl

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children where she was sent yesterday while White House guards investigated whether it was a new social custom to invite guests by postscript.

Postscript a Mystery

It seems that a postscript inviting her to the White House somehow was added to a letter from a White House secretary thanking her for writing birthday congratulations to the president. It was added somehow after the mailman left it at the Skelephion home.

Maybe her 18-year-old brother, Steve, added it to the letter for fun and maybe he didn't. Anna didn't know. "They seem to think he did," she said, referring to the officials who examined it.

To add mystery, Anna said she couldn't remember if the postscript was on the letter the first time she saw it.

"I opened the letter myself," she said.

But presto! When she read it again, there was the postscript beyond besieged Derna.

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Wrong Figures

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 29 (AP)—A clerk at the internal revenue office helpfully filled in the income blank for a taxpayer; then told him how much he was due. It was a large amount and the visitor protested lustily.

The clerk checked again, and the

answer came out the same.

"But," protested the man, "they told me I wouldn't have to pay anything."

The clerk, suspicious, asked for the slip earning statement the man's employer had given him, and found the taxpayer had read off part of his social security number instead of his earnings.

Rock Fall Kills Former Resident Of Meyersdale**Funeral Services Are Held for George Maust, 43, of Koontztown**

MEYERSDALE, Pa., Jan. 29—Funeral services for George Maust, 43, a timberman in the employ of the Consolidation Coal Company at its Acosta mine, who was instantly killed yesterday by a fall of roof rock, were conducted this afternoon at St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church near Meyersdale, by the pastor, the Rev. A. J. Forry. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Mr. Maust, whose residence was at Koontztown, had been employed at the Acosta mine for eleven years. A luncheon was served to about

same company for many years in the Meyersdale region.

Surviving are his father, Christopher Maust, of near Meyersdale; his wife, Mrs. Marie Shroyer Maust; three daughters, Tolda, Reba and LaNola; and one son, Eddie, all at home; one brother, Clarence Maust, Kimmerton; and four sisters, Cora, Sadie, Eva and Florence, all of near Meyersdale.

Want Shorter Term
A petition bearing 250 signatures of members of the Amish Mennonite church of Somerset county was forwarded to Charles H. Ealy, president pro tem of the Pennsylvania Senate, requesting that their children be exempted from attending school more than 160 days a year, which would be a term of eight months, instead of nine or more, as is now the case.

Senator Ealy introduced the petition in the Senate, and stated that it would also be introduced in the House. The Amish, or "plain people," said in their petition that the educational requirements for their youth were of a "special or vocational nature," and that they were able, both "by church and home teaching to meet their needs" more fully than public schools.

During the administration of former Governor George H. Earle, the "plain people" of the eastern section of the state objected to acceptance of a WPA grant to construct a consolidated school and abandon a number of small community schools. Pleading waste of funds and undue pride in connection with the more commodious and costly buildings, they won out in several of the school districts in which complaints were made.

Meyersdale Personals

Mrs. Morris Hostetler has been admitted as a medical patient to Wenzel hospital.

John Shaffer remains a patient at Wenzel hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. McKinley, Salisbury, announce the birth of a son Monday.

Gene C. Hostetler, North street, was admitted to Hazel McGilvery hospital yesterday for treatment.

Mr. Hostetler, recorder of deeds at the court house at Somerset. His condition is described as serious.

William S. Livengood Sr. returned to Harrisburg after visiting his daughter, Mrs. Frances L. Imler, North street.

The largest mass of copper ore on record was found in 1857 in the Minnesota mine. It measured forty-five feet in length, twenty-two feet at its greatest width and more than eight feet in its thickest part. It contained over ninety per cent pure copper.

The favorite dish of most people is a clean one.

Law offices of
Paul M. Fletcher,
7 Washington Street,
Cumberland, Maryland.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Abeary Wheeler vs. Eleanor Wheeler, No. 15981 Equity, In the Circuit Court For Allegany County, Maryland.

The plaintiff in this proceeding, a decree, divorcing the plaintiff from the defendant A VINCULO MATRIMONII.

The Bill of Complaint states that the parties were married in the State of Maryland, on the 14th day of October, 1930, where they lived together as husband and wife until some time in September, 1940, when defendant abandoned a separate domicile, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. That there were born of said marriage four (4) infant children, to wit, Frederick A. Wheeler, born January 26, 1932; Ivan R. Wheeler, born March 2, 1932; Alina Eleanor Wheeler, born July 7, 1933, and Wayne A. Wheeler, born September 8, 1935. That the plaintiff has in her custody the infant Frederick A. Wheeler and Wayne A. Wheeler, and that the defendant has her custody the aforesaid Ivan R. Wheeler and Alina Eleanor Wheeler. That the plaintiff is a citizen of the aforesaid Frederick A. Wheeler and Wayne A. Wheeler and is willing that the defendant may have the custody of the said defendant, after his discovery of her said adultery, and that the plaintiff is a resident of the State of Maryland and has been domiciled there for more than ten years past, and that the defendant is a resident of the State of Pennsylvania and a non-resident of the State of Maryland.

It is ordered that the 29th day of January, 1941, ordered by the Circuit Court for Allegany County that the plaintiff, by causing this Order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Allegany County once a week for four weeks preceding before the 2nd day of March, 1941, giving notice to the said absent defendant of the other and substance of this Bill and warning her to appear in the Circuit Court in person or by solicitor on or before the 18th day of March, 1941, to show cause, if any she have, why a decree ought not to be granted her prayer.

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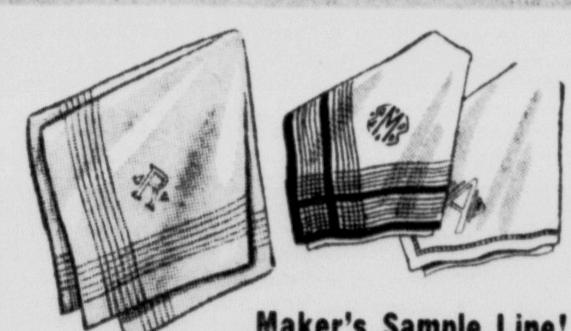
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Another Sly Maneuver By the Democrats

SENATOR KIMBLE and the members of the Allegany county delegation in the House of Delegates at Annapolis are doing the obvious thing in resisting administration pressure for passage, without amendment, of Senate bill No. 42 pertaining to the trial magistrate system. The bill is just another piece of crafty maneuvering to get more political power for the Democrats where, in the light of Republican majority and responsibility, they are not morally entitled to it.

The bill proposes repeal and re-enactment, with amendments, of Article 52 of the Annotated Code of Maryland under the title of "Justices of the Peace" with the sub-title of "Trial Magistrates' System." It reads as follows, the proposed change being noted in italics:

"¹⁰⁴ Clerks. The county commissioners shall provide such clerical assistance, and pay such compensation therefor, as said commissioners may deem reasonably necessary for any trial magistrate. The appointment of clerical assistants shall be made by the trial magistrate to be thus served, when provision therefor is made by the county commissioners; except that in Montgomery, Allegany and Prince Georges counties, such clerical assistants shall be appointed by the county commissioners of such counties. In counties in which provision is made for clerical assistants, the trial magistrates shall direct and supervise the services to be rendered by said assistants."

Senator Kimble has offered an amendment, which would make the change noted appear as follows, the amended part being noted in italics:

"... In counties in which provision is made for clerical assistants, except in *Allegany county*, the trial magistrates shall direct and supervise the services to be rendered by said assistants."

The purpose of the change attempted by the administration forces is quite clear. It is just another one of those things in which the Democrats are seeking to enhance their political prerogatives.

At the time of this writing, the bill was scheduled in the Senate on its third reading and the word from the capital was that the administration was doing its best to round up enough votes to knock off the Kimble amendment when it comes to third reading.

It is hoped that the efforts of the Allegany county delegation to include the Kimble amendment will prove successful, or that the bill as a whole is defeated.

Two More Good Points For Safety in Traffic

MOTOR VEHICLE KILLINGS resulting from failure of motorists to observe stop signs are on the increase throughout the country, according to the Keystone Automobile Club, Maryland, which is making a plea to drivers to observe the "stop" injunction literally. Police are urged to enforce the law with an eye to safety rather than as a means of collecting fines.

Edward P. Curran, safety director of the club, says many motorists have complained about the non-observance of stop signs, declaring that the lives of motorists on "through" streets and roads are constantly jeopardized by reckless drivers who ignore the mandate to come to a full stop.

The nation-wide trend, he said, is constantly toward "more and bigger" intersection crashes, due to failure of drivers to give heed to the signs erected for their protection.

"While it may be contended," he continued, "that many of these signs, especially in smaller communities, have been erected on a hit-or-miss basis, and while drivers may think some of them are unnecessary, it is never safe to ignore them. It is in such circumstances that accidents frequently occur. Our own opinion is that wherever a sign is erected it should be obeyed, regardless of the personal views of the operator."

"In the matter of enforcement, we should like to see peace officers stationed at dangerous points to insure observance, rather than have them lurking in the background taking numbers of offending motorists. The safety factor should be more important than the financial returns to a community."

Sensible advice, in respect to both points, which motorists and traffic enforcement officers alike would do well to heed.

Something To Tell The Grownups First

UNDER the changing conditions of modern times even the oldest questions become new and interesting. It is unethical to tell children there is a Santa Claus. Dr. Ernest Burton Skaggs, professor of psychology at Wayne University, tells his students. Parents pondered that question long before Dr. Skaggs became a professor.

Generations passed, but Santa Claus sticks around, and the need to show him up as a faker still troubles the consciences of serious-minded people. "There are a lot of college students who still think there is a Santa Claus," Dr. Skaggs

told his class, "and they should know that there isn't."

Some of the students groaned. The revelation hurt—their sensibilities at least.

And yet, the professor was right, in a way, though getting the truth home to children is much less important than precolonizing it among grownups. The children get a lot of harmless happiness out of the Santa Claus myth, but the silly grownups get painful stricture of their pocketbooks. They are fed on the nonsense that Uncle Sam is likely at any moment, winter and summer, to go Santa Clousing and slip them a sockful of cash.

"You want to build a new highway?" Uncle Santa-Sam is supposed to say. "That's nice. Here, take this hundred million dollars. And say, Farmer, never mind planting all that wheat and corn. Here's a billion dollars. That'll take care of you and save you a lot of backache."

But intelligent people like Dr. Skaggs and others know that Uncle Sam hasn't any cash except what he gets out of taxpayers' pockets. That stark, naked truth ought to be taught more generally not only to college students but in the whole system of adult education. In handling the billions of tax money Santa Claus is simply non-existent.

An Installment Plan Worth a Trial

DELEGATE CHARLES M. SEE, of this county, has introduced a bill (HB150) in the House of Delegates at Annapolis providing for the addition of a new section to Article 52 of the Annotated Code of the state respecting the criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace. The bill is in the hands of the Judiciary committee.

The new section would be known as Section 13A and prescribes that "a Justice of the peace in Allegany county may permit fines to be paid in installments over a period not exceeding three months and, upon default in such payments, shall sentence the defaulter to jail for a period proportionate to the unpaid balance of the fine."

In this day of installment buying and credits, this seems a pretty sensible provision, against which there can be no valid objection in view of the fact that no loophole appears through which an offender could easily escape ultimate payment of the fine.

In fact, the state would in all probability profit by such an arrangement. If a person who has a job or who has other earning capacity finds himself subjected to a fine for some offense and does not have the money with which to pay it immediately in order to keep out of jail, it would be better for the state to give him the chance of eventually paying the fine instead of throwing him in jail at an added expense.

About the only way an offender in arrears could avoid the clutches of a constable would be for him to skip the county. In such event, rather than boarding and lodging him at public expense, it might be said that would be "so much the better."

Anyway, the proposal seems well worth trial.

The Bases for Supreme Court Selections

CORRESPONDENTS, columnists and commentators operating out of Washington are quite busy these days conjecturing the possible appointee to the Supreme Court of the United States to fill the vacancy to be caused by the intended resignation of Justice James C. McReynolds.

Many of them are pointing out that either Robert Jackson, attorney general, or Senator James F. Byrnes, of South Carolina, are the most likely to be appointed and they are assigning as the reasons for their belief the strong personal friendship between the president and these two men. Their New Deal leanings also enter into the equation.

Somewhat or other that sort of thing does not "set well." Appointment to the highest judicial appointment in the land ought not to be made on the basis of personal friendship, but solely upon merit. Appointments to this bench have also been made by the president in consideration of belief in the New Deal philosophy of government. At any rate, those appointed by him have been men who hold firmly to that set of ideals. Perhaps this is to be expected from a president who feels so strongly about his theories; yet, it does not comport well with theory of judicial impartiality.

'Keep Your Feet on the Ground'

By MARSHALL MASLIN

Once an old man caught me when I was on a flight of fancy, and said:

"Son, keep your feet on the ground."

I paid little attention to him. For me, at the time, he was just a disillusioned and over-cautious old codger who was trying to take the joy out of life for a young fellow. He's lost his dream and he wanted to take mine from me, . . . So I spread my wings and flew away from there.

But he was right . . . He was giving me good advice when he told me to keep my feet on the ground.

He knew that was the only way to save me from heartache and despair.

After all, we are earthbound creatures. We climb into automobiles and ride across continents. We get into airplanes and ride around the world. And some human beings, born and living in great cities, never touch foot to common living precious earth . . . But we ARE earthbound; we are destined to find our lasting happiness only in things that are common and simple and easy to understand and enjoy. In common joys, in common victories, in common ways we make our journey through life.

That's what the old man meant when he told me to keep my feet on the ground. He wasn't trying to discourage me, but to lead me toward a livable life. . . . He knew he was one of the sons of Antaeas, and that was so I . . .

Antaeas was a giant, son of Poseidon, god of the sea, son of Gaia, goddess of the earth. A great wrestler, Antaeas, and no mortal could defeat him because whenever he touched the earth his strength was renewed. When he touched his mother, Gaia, he was young and strong again. Hercules alone was able to conquer him by holding Antaeas in the air and strangling him there.

Thus we are all sons and daughters of Antaeas. Though we grow little wings and strive to fly away from the simple and earthly life that nourishes us, it is all futile, all vain . . . We must keep our feet on the ground if we wish to get anywhere.

Beards Are Now Allowed Sailors Of Royal Navy

By EDWIN C. HILL

Beards are now allowed in the British navy and many are sprouting, but they are not allowed in the army and the Royal Air Force. This is today's news stories. Chin whiskers, with a smooth upper lip, are forbidden, as are "Hitler" mustaches. A mustache may be worn in both the army and the R.A.F. but it must not be in any way eccentric. A sailor is required to get written authorization to grow a beard.

George Killingworth, one of Queen Elizabeth's most trusted advisers and emissaries, had a beautiful, silky beard, five feet long. For some delicate and devious negotiations with Ivan the Terrible of Russia she sent Killingworth. The mission was a great success. Ivan wanted to talk about nothing but Killingworth's beard. As to the diplomatic deal, he said in effect, "Write your own ticket."

Coupled with Belligerency

There's some evidence—we'd need a lot more to make a sound case—that whiskers and belligerency go together in England. For a few months before Waterloo, beards and mustaches began to sprout among the guardsmen, this being against the rules in some regiments. Common soldiers began imitating officers and guardsmen. That was forbidden, but top rank fighters went in and won with whiskers unfurled. Beards like George Killingworth's, as above, were highly esteemed in the Elizabethan era.

This was an up-and-at-'em era in every way, in war, commerce, exploration and literature and the arts. It was an era of abounding vitality, creativity—and whiskers. Less so was the smooth-shaven age of Queen Anne. The Cromwellian rough-and-tumble, red-blooded enough and no time or place for old people and cripples was a heavily bewhiskered epoch. But with the Restoration, with the resumption of the amenities, of formal court usage, of the subtleties and restraints of prescribed behavior, whiskers were whisked off overnight.

Popular Impulse Symptom

There have been students and connoisseurs of beards who insist that they are sometimes a symptom of great popular impulse. They cite the Crusades. When the mystic urge to take a crack at the Saracens began welling up all over Europe, the beards began breaking out everywhere, in what was otherwise a smooth-shaven age. Heavily be-whiskered were the crusading armies. Some of the knights had their armor remodeled, to let the beard jet out. The word comes from and ancient Icelandic word meaning the prow of a ship. The knights liked to have their beards out-thrust in that manner, some of them using stiffening to get the full effect.

As to whiskers, you could make almost any kind of a story stand up, but there are some surprising historic exhibits of the linking of beards with the do-or-die impulse. In the fading days of Rome, the Visigoths were shoving the Romans around shamelessly. The Romans stood for it. Most of them would take a clot over the head any day without fighting back. But there was one last stern decree of the dying empire that they obeyed. It was: "If any Visigoth pulls your whiskers, sock him, even if you know he will cut you in two."

Resisted by Romans

Pulling Roman whiskers was a favorite sport of the Visigoths, and many Romans died in resisting. Their beards somehow symbolized their last vestige of dignity and honor, as they were with the emissaries of David when their beards were shaved off by the heathen. David understood their humiliation and sent them word: "Tarry ye at Jericho until your beards be grown."

There may be reasons why the R.A.F. doesn't like beards, no matter what fighting urge they may denote. John Killingworth's five-foot beard would have been de trop around an airplane propeller. But, if beards

are to be resisted, it is the pig crop of December 23.

Maryland farmers report they are conserving more soil and moisture than ever before and are earning soil-building allowances through the agricultural conservation program, according to B. O. Stetzer, executive officer for the AAA. He says that since payments on grass and legume seedings have been reduced, farmers have been turning to such erosion control methods as contour strip cropping, contour listing, and terracing to earn their payments.

The average price paid in Maryland for short-leaf pine sawlogs delivered at the mill for the period 1923 to 1937 was \$15.68 per thousand board feet. It is stated by C. F. Winslow, specialist in forestry for the extension service. Winslow says that during this period the average price reached a high of \$25.47 per thousand feet in 1925 and a low of \$6.00 in 1935. In 1937, the most recent year for which figures are available, a price of \$10.96 per thousand feet was paid.

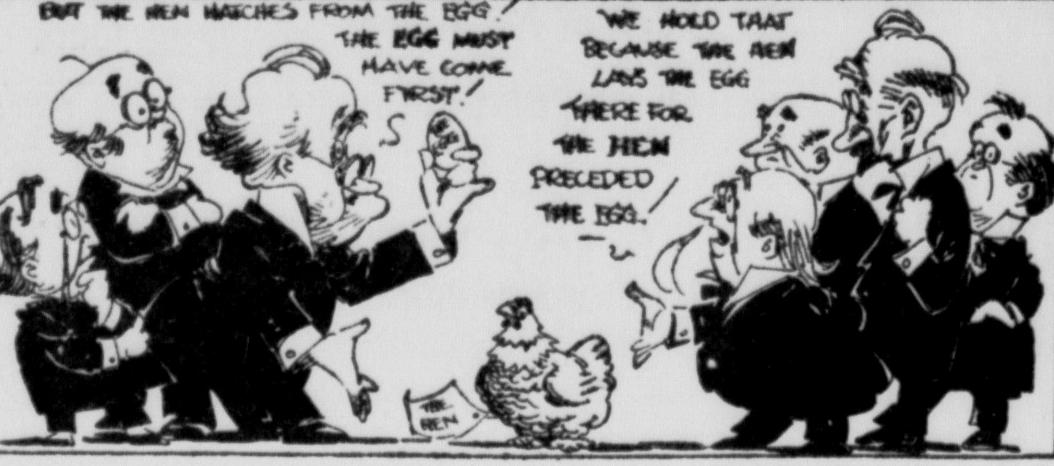
Dr. Ernest A. Walker, department of plant pathology, University of Maryland, says that another peach disease that Maryland fruit growers will have to look out for is the Idaho Peach disease. It was first reported in 1937 and has spread rapidly. The leaves produce reddish and purplish colored areas which later drop out, leaving a shot hole condition. The fruit shows a slight tendency to be irregular. This disease has been transmitted through grafting. It has similar characteristics to the "X" disease prevalent in the East.

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IN THIS CASE THE HEN COMES FIRST



Congress Members Are on the Spot For Preparing Lease-Lend Measure

By CHARLES P. STEWART

Central Press Columnist

One thing that makes the congressional fight over pending defense and aid-the-democracies legislation a particularly extremely ugly one is the fact that Congress's own draftsmen ~~concocted~~ the measure.

Earlier in his executive career President Roosevelt was in the habit of framing up, right in the White House, the bills he wanted the lawmakers to pass, or, if he didn't do it himself, he had it done for him by his unofficial New Deal satellites. Then the drafts were handed over in finished form to the administration's leaders on Capitol Hill, with orders to get 'em favorably acted on. The supreme court reorganization plan, for instance, was prepared thus. The leadership to which it was delivered hadn't had the slightest advance inkling that it was coming. That particular scheme was turned down by the legislators, to be sure, but the executive mansion got by with plenty of its other requisitions, similarly presented.

It was a method which senators and representatives didn't overly like, generally speaking, but the leaders who sponsored the proposed bills weren't blamed for doing so; it was recognized that they simply were acting as somebody else (F. D. R.) told 'em to. Barkley, McCormack

The current proposal, however, enormously increasing the presidential power, was cooked up on the "Hill" itself, under the direct supervision of Senator Alben W. Barkley and Representative John W. McCormack, majority leaders of their respective chambers, probably with some advice from sympathetic fellow members. Maybe Barkley and McCormack knew exactly what F. D. R. wanted, but nominally he had nothing to do with the job. It will be known as the Barkley-McCormack bill.

Consequently that particular pair is open to individual attack from members who consider that the idea is to have Congress unjustifiably surrender a lot of its constitutional legislative authority to the chief executive.

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THE DAILY STORY

WORDS AND MUSIC

Romance Hits the Hottest Band in Town and Leaves the Dashing Red Crandon Holding More than His Baton

By JAMES O'HARA

The whole trouble traces directly back to Red Crandon himself, it is a pretty fair guess that what



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after one of our morning rehearsals down at the end of the empty Blue Room.

"The newspaper lads have been pretty decent about us, Daphne—I mean about playing down any phony romantic angles. We've been working together for four years now, so I'm asking you before all the boys in the band, Will you marry me?"

Daphne probably was as surprised as anyone at what ultimately came of the affair—but that's getting ahead of the story. It starts when Red calls her to the microphone

Red's own broad shoulders. The boys in Red's band, naturally, areappy about the whole thing, irrespective of loyalties.

"That's sweet, Red," she said very quickly then, patting him on the arm, maternal like. "I can't say now, this minute, for sure. But . . . I can tell you there's no one else and all the boys know how fine you are!"

Some of the clowns in the band nodded a few strains of the wedding march, but Red came back to business and rapped his stick on the tenor sax's stand. He nodded to Daphne and she went back to sit down until he was ready for her number.

"Don't any of you guys go gutbucket emotionally about this little thing . . . yet?" he warned with a half smile. "I'll let you know when it's official. Until then, it's not for anyone outside the band, see? Now Larry, give us a cue bar on Little Brown Jug, will you?" Just like that he pushed matrimony into the background. He and Daphne sure make swing a business!

The boys are making little side bets among themselves for the next week on when and where the affair would wind up. Some of us think that it will be a properly big affair at St. Patrick's Cathedral with all the fixings, or maybe at the Little Church Around the Corner—with the friendly shutter clickers of the dailies covering it for publicity.

One morning Red arrives an hour late, looking like the devil. But he's not been out on a tear, you can see.

"Rehearsal is off this morning, fellows," he tells us with a sigh that seems to come up from his heels. "Daphne is in Doctor's Hospital this minute. Stepped right in front of a back door on the drive an hour ago. That's all!"

Naturally, the accident threw a monkey wrench into just about everything. We began to find out how much Daphne had been carrying the band. She was smart, thought up her own lyrics for numbers, suggested little breaks that smoothed out the music. But with her in the hospital, it took all the wind out of everyone's sails.

We all start talking at once, I guess, but Red gets attention again. He just smiles when we ask him the how, when and where of the marrying business. He passes out the parts.

"Make it good, boys," Red says into the mike, rapping his stick on a stand and smiling sort of wistfully over at his vocalist. "I think you'll all approve of my dealing Tommy Millan into the band to write and arrange for us. Now I want to run through a new number he's dashed off to us to play when Daphne center-isles her next moth."

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"One of my columnist friends told me about your accident, Miss Gaillard," he tells her the second day after the hack ran into her. "I sort of wrote songs, and I read Variety. I've been following everything they print about you for a long while. You're tops!" Then he remembers what he came for. "I have type C blood, Doctor," he says to the sawbones. "If Miss Gaillard will permit me, I'd like to help her out a little."

Daphne is only about half conscious then, but after she gets stronger, she calls for Tommy and he comes over to the place and sits around with her for an hour or two every day. He is a very shy boy, but Daphne gets him to tell her about his song writing, and even has him bring some of the things he has written and can't dream up any words for. It seems that she can.

"You have a real talent, Tommy," Daphne judges. "And I think you might go far, if you had the right connections."

I don't know many people in New York, Miss Gaillard," he tells her, seriously. She takes his hand. "Daphne, Tommy!" she suggests. "You know me! It is natural for a girl to feel grateful to an honest young man like Tommy after what he did for her, unasked. "We'll see about it!"

After Daphne is up and about,

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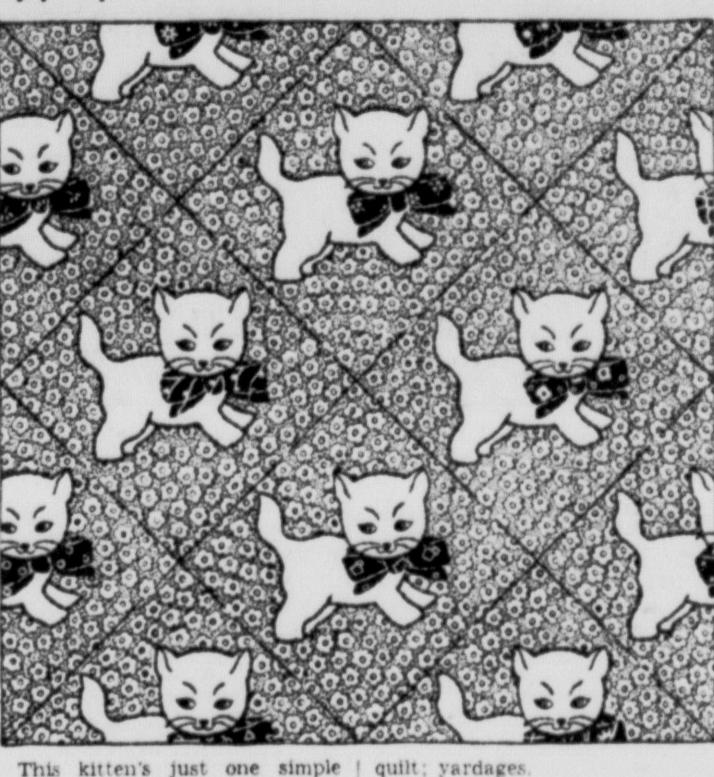
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she comes back to work, and the first day she brings Tommy Millan and a bundle of his music. She has written lyrics—tricky one, too—for every one of them. They're good. Even without Daphne singing them they would stand up alongside the best.

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Tomorrow: When nothing else

Dog Is Promoted To Corporal in The Air Corps

Social Events and Items of Interest for the Women

President's Ball and Floor Show To Be Held Tonight at Clary Club

For the benefit of infantile paralysis sufferers in this city and elsewhere, the annual President's birthday ball will be given this evening at Cass Taylor's Clary Club with music by Jay Van and his orchestra. Lee Winter studio will present a floor show.

City Finance Commissioner Thomas F. Conlon is county chairman; Miss Henriette Schwarzenbach is treasurer, and Charles L. George is secretary. Miss Nell Bane is in charge of theater collections assisted by Carl B. Sherred, Richard J. Magruder, Daniel P. Burke,

Duckworth, H. Clifford Spiker, Frank V. Baker, J. William Hunt, James Blackwell, Clarence V. Burns, Stanley Fields, William J. Edwards and Felix R. Brady, Jr.

Among the local chairmen from all parts of Allegany county who plan to attend the ball are Mrs. W. O. McLane, Frostburg; Thomas E. Stake, Midland; James Parks, Lonaconing; Mrs. Arthur Hoffa, Barton; Miss Ellinor Morrison, Westernport; P. J. O'Brien, Luke; M. G. Van Meter, Cresaptown; Mrs. Eddie Hill Roland, Flintstone; E. Ross Shaw, Oldtown; Edward Boyle, Eckhart Mills; Lloyd De Vore, Ellerslie; Miss Irene Meyers, Corriganville; Louis Smith, Vale Summit; and James B. Collins, Mt. Savage.

Among contributions received for the funds was \$25 from the Art Club, of which Mrs. L. J. Lanich is president and the Women's United Democratic Club donated \$10 to the drive.

Mr. Conlon asked that all persons who return the birthday cards do so to the local chairmen as cards sent directly to Washington, D. C., are not credited to the local drive. Collection of coin containers will begin next Monday.

Nurses Plan Dance

The Allegany Hospital Nurses' Association will hold its annual banquet and dance tonight at the Queen City hotel.

The dinner will be served at 7:30 o'clock and dancing will hold sway from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., with music by Marty Flynn's Society Ramblers.

Four members of the association who became brides in 1940 were to be honored at the affair, but Mrs. Norbert A. Sell, president, announced they were out of town and will be unable to attend.

Mrs. Catherine Armbruster, Miss Anna C. Murphy and Miss Kathleen Mullan are in charge of the annual affair.

Honored on Birthday

A surprise birthday party was given Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Michaels, LaVale, in honor of Miss Janet Kessell. Those present were:

The Misses Josephine Loretta, Pauline Poorbaugh, Helen Sellers, Doris Moore, Theresa Loretta, Elizabeth Berkard, Edith Barnley, Catherine Van Sant, Ethel Hartung, Katherine Miller, Mildred Peterson, Helen Weisenmiller, Wanda Ott, Anna Mae Ott.

Ambrose McKenzie, Jack Moore, William Sipple, Howard Burns, Oliver Kidwell, Courtney Kessel, Earl Hymes, Dave Lighty, Wayne Michaels, Robert McKenzie, Jerry Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Russell F. Goodfellow, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lancaster, Mrs. Raymond Boyer, and Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Michael.

Attend District Rally

Twenty-three members of the First Methodist church, Bedford street, attended the district rally of Methodist churches which was held Tuesday evening in Eckhart.

The Rev. George E. Baughman, pastor of the First Methodist church, was the speaker. The Rev. Mr. Baughman spoke on "Evangelism."

Attending from the First Methodist church were the Rev. and Mrs. Baughman, Mr. and Mrs. George Trippet, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arington, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Heavner, and son, Lane, Mrs. Clara Paulus, Miss Helen Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip R. Lucas, Miss Thelma Reckley, Miss Audrey Reckley, Miss Mary Elbin, Mr. and Mrs. William Beale, Mrs. William Trappe, Miss Betty Trappe, Russell Ice, Mr. Elbin and Paul Arts.

Surprise Shower Given

Honoring Mrs. Oliver Marriott, Mrs. Patrick Mills and Mrs. Robert Jackson, LaVale, were joint hostesses at surprise shower Tuesday evening.

Guests were Mrs. Viola Gall, Mrs. Elizabeth Shimer, Mrs. Mary Patterson, Mrs. Herbert Dye, Mrs. Tiny Paterson, Mrs. Hazel Hitchins, Mrs. Lionel Saker, Mrs. Frances Hawkins, Mrs. Edna Custer, Mrs. Catherine Griffin, Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, Mrs. Mabel Beechle, Mrs. Minnie Clise, Mrs. Florence Cojeman, Mrs.

Lulu Coleman, Miss Jeannette Jackson, Miss Beatrice O'Brien, Miss Margaret Stake and Miss Catherine Canty.

Service Group Meets

Mrs. C. A. Rice, president of the Connectional Service, led the devotions when Group No. 3 of the W. S. C. S. of the Central Methodist church, Mrs. Harley Vandegrift, chairman, met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Richard Reuschel, 308 Decatur street. Mrs. C. H. Willer was in charge of the program. Affairs in China were read by Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Robert Parker. Nineteen members and one visitor were present.

Events in Brief

The regular monthly meeting of St. Mary's Newman club will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening at St. Mary's hall, Oldtown road.

Reservations can be made by calling the following persons for the annual banquet to be given by the Baltimore and Ohio Veterans and Auxiliary February 12 at the Queen City hotel; H. W. Bloss, chairman, 301 Beall street, or W. W. Seel, president, 721 Montgomery avenue; Mrs. G. A. Crass, Arch street, or Mrs. Arthur Souders, 722 Elm street.

A cafeteria supper from 5 until 8 o'clock this evening will be held at St. Mark's Reformed church social room, Park and Harrison streets, by the Ladies' Bible class of the church.

A rummage sale will be held Saturday morning starting at 10 a.m. in the Stegmaier building, 128 Bedford street, under the auspices of the Union Grove Homemakers' Club.

Personals

Mrs. W. Royce Hodges and infant son, have returned from Memorial hospital, to their home, Braddock road.

Miss Naomi Dodge, Miss Mary Margaret Lee and Mrs. Helen Vogel are delegates from the Allegany Hospital Nurses Association to the convention of the Maryland State Nurses' Association, Baltimore.

Miss Doris Jean Deakian, 214 South street, a student at Pennsylvania avenue high school, is a patient at Memorial hospital.

Miss Norma Jean Hamilton, 208 Springdale street, underwent an operation Tuesday morning at Memorial hospital.

J. Hodder Nicklin is attending the convention of the American Road Builders Association in New York.

C. Albert Ingram and daughter, Mrs. C. L. Pell, David, W. V. and son, Vincent P. Ingram, this city, attended the funeral of the former's brother, John William Ingram, at Hancock, Monday.

Mrs. John Glominger, Pittsburgh, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hugh A. McMullen, 515 Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Brooke Whiting and daughter, Miss Anne Frances Whiting, 632 Washington street, and Mr. and Mrs. William A. Gunter, 210 Washington street, have returned from Florida and Havana, Cuba.

Mrs. Layton Nauman has returned to her home at Stamford, Conn., after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lyem, The Dingle.

Donald L. Rockwell, a student at Maryland University, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Rockwell, 731 Oldtown road, during mid-year vacation.

Bernard J. Martz, 520 North Mechanic street, was struck with a heart attack Tuesday at the Cumberland Brewing Company, where he is employed, returned home yesterday from Allegany hospital.

Mrs. Vincent Firle, 448 Baltimore avenue, underwent an emergency appendectomy Tuesday night at Allegany hospital.

Miss Mary Margaret Smith, LaVale, is improving at Allegany hospital.

The Rev. Louis M. Ewald, rector of Holy Cross church, Virginia avenue, is improving, following an operation at Memorial hospital.

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United Democratic Women's Club

Members Hear Talk by J. H. Griffin

Joseph H. Griffin, chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee of Allegany County, was the speaker at the meeting of the United Democratic Women's Club Tuesday evening at the Windsor hotel, Baltimore street.

Mr. Griffin spoke on "Democracy" and told of the work each person must do to retain it. He stressed the necessity of holding together and complimented the work of the local Democratic Women's Club.

He spoke of his work in the state central committee and the importance of co-operation within the body of organizations.

Mr. Griffin said that he was in favor of women juries, but said, if this proposed bill is passed there should be added an amendment permitting women to decline to serve if their health did not allow.

Mrs. M. J. Fleming, chairman of the United Democratic Women's Club of this city, who presided, appointed a number of new committees.

They are as follows: Parliamentarian, Mrs. Katherine M. Landis; publicity, Miss Bessie Kettner; ways and means, Mrs. Joseph Squillace; membership, Mrs. Anna Reed, Mrs. John Kenney, Mrs. A. R. Tyler, Mrs. Margaret Clark; entertainment, Mrs. Christine Breakiron; legislative, Miss Mary Lambert, and dance, Miss Elizabeth Butts, Mrs. Angela Baptista, Mrs. Anna McCleary and Mrs. Elizabeth McLean.

Following the appointment of committees Mrs. E. O. Edmunds, district chairman of United Democratic Women's Clubs, gave a most interesting report on the executive and governors of the state group meeting she attended last week in Baltimore.

The club then decided to donate to the March of Dimes. It was also announced that tentative plans been made to hold a series of card parties.

Mrs. Fleming then turned the meeting over to Mrs. Joseph H. Griffin who conducted an informal social hour. Mrs. Edmunds, who is retiring chairman of the local club was presented with an evening bag in appreciation of her splendid work in the organization.

The next meeting will be held February 25 at the Windsor hotel.

Mid-Year Social Is Held

The annual mid-year social of St. Mary's church, honoring the Altar boys, girls' choir and women who assisted in the regular weekly benefit card parties, was given Tuesday night at St. Mary's hall, Oldtown road.

Entertainment included moving pictures, a quiz, conducted much like the Major Bowes hour and refreshments.

Plan Sleighbing Party

An old fashioned sleighing riding party has been planned for Friday evening starting at the Happy Hills Farms, five miles west of Frostburg. With weather permitting, on-lookers will see a sleigh being pulled by a horse or perhaps two or three depending upon the number of people attending. Some will "go along" for skiing while others will enjoy the sleigh ride.

Among those planning to attend with their guests are J. Hodge Smith, J. W. Holmes, Homer A. Strood, William Seibert, Francis Torrington, Wilbur Buchanan, Lloyd

Grace Metler, Wayne Kesecker, Ida Mae McIntyre, Harry Minnick, Stella Mae Zilgman, Leo Barkman, Helen Kelley, Dorothea Cox, Pat McCoy, Raymond Hartsock, William Wisegarver, Edward Cox, Ronald Kesecker, John Kettner, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Dunlap and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Craddock.

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Ladies' 59c Novelty Hand Bags 48c

Ladies' 59c Knit Union Suits 4 for \$1

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Ladies' 59c—2-way Stretch Girdles 3 for \$1

Children's \$1 Wool Toques and Scarfs 19c

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Parents Urged To Help Child Overcome Fear

Patience and Sympathy
with Children Is Recom-
mended by Writer

By GARRY C. MYERS, Ph.D.

A letter that came recently from one mother I am putting in my column because I feel that a great many other parents will find it of interest.

"I read your column constantly and wanted to write and tell you I am one of those who have found it helpful," a reader wrote me. "You seem so sympathetic and understanding."

"I also admire your courage in advocating spankings for small children's misdemeanors. I believe it must take courage, too, as so many people write against it."

"I have put a self-addressed envelope in with this letter, as I would appreciate your advice on a problem of mine. I have a girl six and a boy four. They are both afraid of the dark. The little girl was fearless until she was three."

"I have tried reasoning, and laughing at their fears, but they are still afraid. Do you know of a remedy?"

The Doctor's Advice

"Please continue to be patient and sympathetic with your little children," I answered her. "Even then this fear may linger long. A fear begins in the twinkling of an eye and last for years."

Naturally, you will protect these children from frightening stories and exciting and gruesome pictures. Better keep each of them from lurid movies till after the age of eight. Do your best to guard these children from fear suggestions by adults and other children. Don't try to reason much. Aim instead to keep their attention on wholesome, happy things. Treat their fears as you would a cold or sore finger, as a nuisance but not to be laughed at.

Appeal to Older Child

Work most on the older child. Appeal to her being a big brave girl who will look after her little

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By SHEPARD BARCLAY
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DON'T WASTE TRUMPS

IT IS NOT necessary always to use a trump in order to drive the high trump out of an opponent's hand, but there are plenty of declarers who act as if they thought so. More often it is well to use the side suit for the purpose, leading it until the defender decides to ruff. By so doing, you keep your trump situation intact and also may be able to preserve a side entry for the long suit until it is set up.

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♦ A 8 2	

(Dealer: East. Both sides vulnerable.)

East South West North
Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦
Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♦

Against this bidding, West should surely have reasoned that a minor suit lead was indicated, since clearly the declarer could be expected to drop trumps and run the long heart suit, using it to discard minor suit losers. Any fine player would have led a diamond, and would have beaten the contract by getting that entry out of dummy soon, but he didn't. He chose the spade J, which drew the Q, K and A.

That gave South his chance to make the contract, but he muffed

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Solving Parent Problems

Q. Should a child who can read and spell well be able to get on well in arithmetic; or good in arithmetic and spelling get on well in reading; or good in reading and arithmetic get on well in spelling?

A. Yes; if properly understood and guided, though it may take some months or even years to catch up in such a lagging subject.

Q. My baby 14 months of age puts small objects she finds on the floor into her mouth.

A. Don't punish her nor snatch the object from her. Patiently induce her to hand it to you. Then approve her heartily for her cooperation.

Q. Would you teach a child to read before entering school?

A. Not if he entered school at normal age.

the new-born grasps your forefingers and as you lift him, the arms are held forward almost at right angles to the chest, the head is thrown back, and the legs are drawn up on the abdomen. Later on in the voluntary suspension of an older child, the arms are allowed to be pulled up directly over the head, the head is thrust forward for balance, and the legs hang down.

The title derived from the fact that the human baby shares this instinctive reflex with the apes and monkeys. This curious ability of the new-born human infant to suspend the weight of its body in mid-air by the strength of its own grip has suggested a number of questions:

Meaning of Action

Why should the new-born be capable of striking performance which for him has no recognized utility?

What happens to this ability as the child grows to maturity?

Does the loss or the retention of this ability at any given age denote a retardation of development, or the contrary?

Answers to these questions have been seriously sought and seem to be as follows:

The reflex can be obtained in practically all new-born infants, though there are exceptions.

It tends to disappear or become weaker after the first few months of life.

But though present at birth and gone at six months, it attains its maximum strength at about four weeks.

There is no appreciable difference in the gripping strength of the right and left hands.

It is a reflex and after the reflex phase has passed, deliberate voluntary grasping should begin to be manifested.

Measure of Development

Real interest in the phenomenon centers in the fact that it is a rough measurement of brain development. The cortex of the brain is not developed at all at birth and consequently the grasping reflex must be the result of stimulation of lower nerve centers in the cord. Later on, as the brain develops, grasping and the position of suspension are of a different character. Thus

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MURDER MAKES A HERO

By ELLIOTT FILLION

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CHAPTER FORTY-TWO
AT MY insistent tug on Captain Lancy's coat sleeves, he started toward the door at a pace which taxed me to keep up with him.

"Wait for me!" he threw over his shoulder, as we went out.

Up the stairs to Mrs. Gould's room we hurried, I knocked at the door, announced Captain Lancy and—if you think I went to some distance and minded my own business, you're mistaken, I didn't. I walked to the head of the staircase, out of earshot—I wasn't low enough to eavesdrop—and waited.

I haven't any idea how long Captain Lancy was in that room. I only know that I grew more and more excited while I waited. Bill Wing was the murderer. I was sure of it.

When Captain Lancy came out, his face was grimmer than I yet had seen it. Down the stairs he went and to the library. I trailed him; I was going to see this thing through.

In less than no time, in slippers and rain boots, three men, led by the detective and chief, marched out of that room, out through the front door, down the driveway and turned into the path we always took to the fishing village.

I had ducked into the living room when they came out of the library. As they went out the door, I flew to a window and, when they took the path to the fishing village, I danced a wild fandango which would have qualified me for immediate admittance to the Taunton Psychopathic hospital had there been any spectators.

The case was over! Mark could never be brought back to life, but he would be avenged. I scarcely left that window, I wanted to be in the foreground when the men returned. Would they bring Bill Wing, in chains, back with them or would they have sent him on to jail and merely return to the house to tell us the story?

The rain was falling in a steady downpour when, still at the window, I saw a file of men come from the path into the driveway. They marched along, rain dripping from hats and coats. They didn't express any exultation, as I knew I would have done, but it was in the day's work to them.

I stood in the door of the living room when they entered. They couldn't completely ignore me—at least, I was praying they wouldn't. In the door they marched, Captain Lancy leading. When he saw me, he stopped, waved them toward the library, came to my side and said:

"A complete washout, Miss Deane. He has an indisputable alibi."

Speechless, I stared at him. I couldn't believe it possible. The wily snake must have misled them in some way. He waited for me to speak.

"Are you s-sure?" I stuttered. "Absolutely! There can be no possible doubt. He did not kill Mark Gould." Then, at what I know must have been my disconcerted expression, he encouragingly added:

"These setbacks always occur in every case, Miss Deane. Don't be discouraged; every elimination was

helps." With that, he was gone, and I, feeling as though the bottom had dropped out of my world, went slowly upstairs to my room.

Bill Wing should have been the murderer. He was of no use to himself or anyone else that I could see. The only person who cared anything about him was Johnny, and he would certainly be better off without a father who got drunk and sold his son's clothes to buy more liquor.

While I was still in the mental doldrums, Kaye came in. She seemed brighter, more at ease, than when she went out. She told me what had transpired with Bill Wing.

She had been sitting by Mrs. Andrew's bed when Captain Lancy and Chief Crane entered. They had interviewed Wing, and he had sent them to the Carl's cottage. The story Mrs. Carl told them effectively proved that Bill Wing had not killed Mark.

Wing had been away from the fishing village for three days, and Johnny, as usual, had been eating with the Carls. That night he seemed to have a heavy cold, and Mrs. Carl refused to allow him to go back to his healthless house. She put him to bed on a cot in her brother's room, but was sitting with her husband in the kitchen when Wing, at 10 o'clock, came to her door. He had not been drinking by a failing branch. I've just sent the chauffeur to find her.

Within an hour he was back with a tale which worried them so greatly that I was forced to tell my suspicions and fears. Kaye had not been at the fishing village that day. Robert had gone to every house, but no one had seen her.

I slipped away to the telephone while they were excitedly talking and called Dave Oll's house. He lived alone in his old home, attended by a housekeeper, who now told me that he had gone away in his car and told her he would not be back for two or three days. That confounded me my fears were justified.

The Carls had remarked the time at Wing's entrance and exit.

To Wing, himself, when he came in, because it was so late to take Johnny out of bed and, when they went, because Mr. Carl was eager to get to bed and to sleep. There was no possible way by which Wing could have left the Carl's house at 25 minutes past 10 and have shot Mark Gould at Purple Beeches at approximately the same time. A fact, Kaye said, for which Mrs. Carl seemed positively regretful.

The next three days passed uneventfully. Each day Kaye went to the fishing village, returning with a quiet satisfaction on her face which told me that Dave had been her companion. On the third day, in the same drizzling weather we had endured for three days, Mark's funeral was held. It was the hardest day I had had, and I was glad to go to bed and have my dinner on a tray.

What, if anything, the police accomplished during that time, I don't know. Chief Crane and his men were in and out of the house at all hours. Captain Lancy was

staying with us, and Scott, one of his assistants, came and went on mysterious missions. As far as I could see, the only thing done was the asking and reasking of so many questions that we dreaded being summoned to the library. I personally, was beginning to lose faith in the omnipotence of the famous detective.

The morning after the funeral, I awoke to a windy day. The wind had sprung up in the night, and now the rain—it seemed heavier—was dashing, with almost hurricane force, against the windows.

When Kaye announced her intention of walking to the fishing village, I thought she was crazy and did not hesitate to say so. She paid no attention to my critical words but, shortly before noon, started off in the twin suit, now covered by a raincoat. She had yielded to my plea yesterday and wore a black dress, coat and hat to Mark's services. I sighed now to see that she had resumed her tweed costume. I couldn't know how soon I was to be thankful that she did so.

Work on Cary's book was out of the question, and I, bored by the steadily falling rain, spent the afternoon with a book before my fire. At four Janet came in. "Kaye hasn't come back," she said. "This wind is frightful. I'm afraid she may have been struck by a failing branch. I've just sent the chauffeur to find her."

Within an hour he was back with a tale which worried them so greatly that I was forced to tell my suspicions and fears. Kaye had not been at the fishing village that day. Robert had gone to every house, but no one had seen her.

I slipped away to the telephone while they were excitedly talking and called Dave Oll's house. He lived alone in his old home, attended by a housekeeper, who now told me that he had gone away in his car and told her he would not be back for two or three days. That confounded me my fears were justified.

The Carls had remarked the time at Wing's entrance and exit.

To Wing, himself, when he came in, because it was so late to take Johnny out of bed and, when they went, because Mr. Carl was eager

to get to bed and to sleep. There was no possible way by which Wing could have left the Carl's house at 25 minutes past 10 and have shot Mark Gould at Purple Beeches at approximately the same time. A fact, Kaye said, for which Mrs. Carl seemed positively regretful.

The next three days passed uneventfully. Each day Kaye went to the fishing village, returning with a quiet satisfaction on her face which told me that Dave had been her companion. On the third day, in the same drizzling weather we had endured for three days, Mark's funeral was held. It was the hardest day I had had, and I was glad to go to bed and have my dinner on a tray.

What, if anything, the police accomplished during that time, I don't know. Chief Crane and his men were in and out of the house at all hours. Captain Lancy was

New Stylists Idea May Stop Remarks About Woman's Hats

CHICAGO, Jan. 29 (P)—Stylists have come forward with an idea designed to silence those gentle who make wry remarks about women's hats.

The gist of the plan is this: The ladies, henceforward, will have the opportunity to wear the same kind of head gear as the men.

For example: If Mr. Poindexter chooses a black Homburg A La Laguardia for the evening, Mrs. Poindexter can don a black Homburg A La Laguardia, too.

Again: If Jake wears a grey felt hat with a snap brim for a day at the races, his girl friend, Frieda, may want sartorial stride simply by wearing a grey felt hat with a snap brim.

The same matching effects, say the designers, can be accomplished with straws, derbies and even silk toppers.

Graphic proof was offered by couples who featured the new "twin" styles at a show sponsored by the National Association of Tailor Clothiers and Furnishers.

The prescribed practice of sporting the same type of hat is known as the "He and She" or "Mr. and Mrs." fashion.

Annual Barbers' Permits Are Proposed in House

ANNEAPOLIS, Jan. 29 (P)—Delegate John A. Novak (D-First Balto.) has introduced legislation in the House which would make membership in the State Board of Barber Examiners a full-time job and would require licensed barbers to renew their permits annually.

The three board members would receive \$150 a month each in addition to their salaries.

tion to traveling expenses. The examination fee for barbers would be \$5. Those now holding permits would pay a renewal fee of \$3 by June 1. If licenses are renewed annually after this date the charge would be \$5.

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If chrome-plated fittings in kitchen or bathroom are tarnished from neglect, saturate a cloth with crude oil and go over them, then wash and polish dry. After that soap and water should keep them bright.

Find Oysters By the Shipload

NEWPORT NEWS, Va. (P)—When the George Washington, one-time German liner seized during the first World war, was brought here for reconditioning, dry dock workmen scraped the hull with more than the usual zest. They even kept at it during the lunch time.

The vessel, anchored for years at Solomon's Island in Chesapeake Bay,

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REGULAR \$89.00 . . . Six piece Modern Dinette Suite. Extension table, china, buffet, four chairs.....

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REGULAR \$129.00 . . . Nine piece Dining Room Suite. Modern style with large Credenza buffet, large table, china, five side chairs and one arm chair

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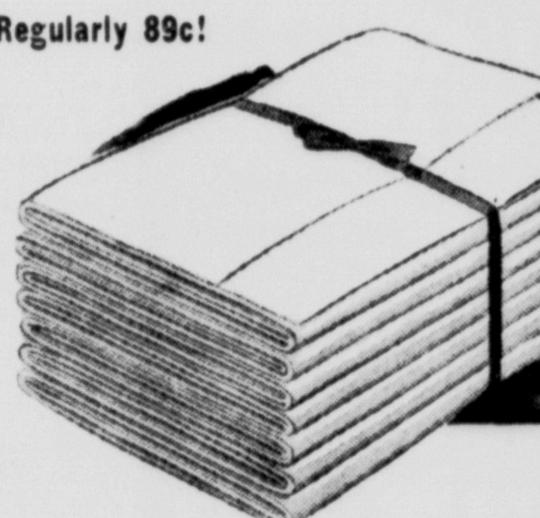
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Frostburg Elks
To Hold Ball
Tomorrow Night

Proceeds from Dance To
Be Used To Fight In-
fantile Paralysis

FROSTBURG, Jan. 29—Frostburg Lodge No. 470, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, has completed plans for the President's birthday ball to be held Friday evening at 9 o'clock, at the Elks home, with a committee headed by Thomas G. Davis in charge.

In view of the many benefit affairs demanding the patronage of the people, the Elks committee stressed the fact that the money realized on the dance would be sent to the Warm Springs Foundation in Georgia to fight infantile paralysis.

A floor show will be presented and other features provided to make the affair entertaining to patrons.

The lodge also decided to hold a "Past Elks Rulers' Night" next Tuesday when former exalted rulers of the lodge will occupy the chairs. The committee appointed to arrange a special program for the event consists of A. Charles Stewart, chairman; Frank R. Keene, Randolph Mendelsohn, John Durst and Maxwell Mathias.

Following the business meeting of the lodge, a memorial service was held with Noel Speir Cook delivering eulogies on the late Robert East, Meyersdale, and Francis H. McKenzie, Mt. Savage, two members of the lodge who recently died.

Concert Plans Complete

The British War Relief Society, Inc., held its second business meeting last evening at the Gunter home, with Mrs. W. J. Elvin and Mrs. E. Cope, co-chairmen, in charge.

Plans for the forthcoming concert were completed.

The concert will be held at the Civic theater Thursday night, James Jenkins Sr. donated the tickets, which are being distributed to soldiers by a committee headed by Lt. H. R. Aldridge, who wants a report on sales made to her by next Friday.

The American Legion department will turn out to play patriotic music on the street in front of the theater.

An application for membership in the society was received from the following women: Mrs. Eugene Smith, Mrs. George A. May, Mrs. Ralph Cosgrove, Mrs. Edward J. Van, Mrs. James T. Taylor, Mrs. LaPorta, Mrs. J. H. Hutchins, L. D. Willison, Mrs. Marian Jenkins, Mrs. Thomas H. Morgan, William D. Reese, Mrs. William Reese, Mrs. Karl H. Beck, Mrs. Vernon Rodda, Mrs. Frederick Lowe, Mr. Arthur T. Bond, Mrs. A. Shepherd, Miss Catherine Johnson and Miss Kathleen Crowe.

Mrs. Ralph M. Race reported the sale of a shipment of embossed leather cases and cigarette cases, which will be on sale at the concert today night.

The poster committee, consisting of Walter Mackey, Mrs. J. C. Shryock and Mrs. A. G. Ramsey, exhibited posters to be used to advertise concert.

Mrs. Harry Hanson, head of the poster committee, reported that had received literature on sewing and Mrs. Fred James, chairman of the knitting committee, stated that had received twenty pounds of needles and literature. These committees will meet every Tuesday from noon until 5 p.m. for sewing and knitting in the rooms of Veterans of Foreign Wars, which were donated by that organization.

Mrs. Vernon Rodda offered the services of the Girl Scouts to run bands, distribute wool and collect finished garments.

It was decided to hold a general mass meeting of the society the Tuesday of each month, the meetings to be at 7:30 p.m. at the latter hotel.

Courses To Be Asked
Do Their Share
For Defense Program

BALTIMORE, Jan. 29 (AP)—Maryland's nurses will be polled soon to determine what part they can take in the nation's defense program.

Miss Olive Whitlock, public health consultant of the U. S. Public Health Service, said questionnaires would be sent to about 5,000 Maryland registered nurses asking each if it can serve full or part time in war or civilian duty.

Miss Whitlock explained the questionnaires at the annual joint meeting of the Maryland State Nurses' Association, the Maryland State Council of Nursing Education and Maryland State Organization of Public Health Nursing.

Miss Alice D. Agnew, assistant superintendent of the Army Nurses of the Third Corps Area, said number of nurses necessary for duty in training camps was 10 per cent of the personnel.

It was said the Army would need nurses by June.

A meeting will end with a banner tomorrow night.

OUT OF THE WAR



Bank Directors Are Re-elected At Petersburg

Paul A. Leatherman Re-
turned to Presidency of
Grant County Bank

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Jan. 29—Stockholders of the Grant County Bank yesterday re-elected as directors Paul A. Leatherman, B. F. Mitchell, Dr. Glenn Monau, W. C. Harman, Dr. J. B. Grove, H. E. Schell and A. A. Roby, while L. W. Rexrode was named as an additional director.

The surplus capital of the bank was increased from \$50,000 to \$60,000. Paul A. Leatherman was re-named president, and L. W. Rexrode was elected assistant cashier. B. F. Mitchell was re-employed as attorney, and Miss Margie Borgs, Miss Lillian Hill and George Moormau were re-employed as bookkeepers and tellers.

Directors of the Potomac Valley Bank was also re-elected at a meeting of the stockholders here yesterday, including Charles A. Smith, W. C. Halterman, H. A. Aalt, G. R. Ours, W. L. Smith, Clarence Taylor and H. F. Groves. W. A. Veach was named as an additional director.

Officers will be elected by the directors later.

Rites for Dr. Sollars

Funeral services were held this morning in the Presbyterian church for Dr. W. R. Sollars, 51, who died of a heart attack in Cumberland Monday morning. The Rev. J. W. Hoghead was in charge, and burial was in the family lot at Oakland.

Pallbearers included B. F. Mitchell, Paul A. Leatherman, Melvin Muntzing, J. M. K. Reid, James Breathed and Dr. Hugh Allen.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lois Stebly Sollars; one daughter and two sons. Petersburg; one sister, Mrs. W. L. Phillips, Town Hill, Pa.; and one brother, Dr. E. E. Sollars, Deer Park, Md.

Relatives attending from a distance were Mrs. Mabel Sollars, Joseph P. Sollars, and Helen Sollars, Oakland. Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Sollars and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sollars, Deer Park; Dr. and Mrs. Roy Wolford and Marshall O. Harness, Washington, D. C.; the Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Phillips, Town Hill, Pa.; Mrs. Elizabeth Thayer and Miss Louis Tibbets, Philadelphia, Pa.

Surviving, besides her mother, are four sisters, Mrs. Julia Spates, Frostburg; Mrs. Otto Binder and Misses Regina and Angela Smith, Pittsburgh; and four brothers, Elmer, Francis, William and Edward Smith, all of Pittsburgh.

Another brother, Joseph Smith, died about three weeks ago in Pittsburgh and was buried here.

FROSTBURG, Jan. 29—Miss Theresa Smith, a former resident of Frostburg, died of a heart attack this morning at her home in Pittsburgh, Pa. She was 46.

Miss Smith was a daughter of Mrs. Theresa Smith, Pittsburgh, and the late Joseph Smith.

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Cottage Prayer Meetings

The First Methodist church sponsored "cottage prayer meetings" this evening at the following homes:

Mrs. H. G. Evans, West Main street; Mrs. Kate Myers, South Water street; Mrs. A. T. Bond, 167 Maple street; Mrs. Thomas Richardson, 267 East Main street; Mrs. Elmer S. Kight, 88 Bowery street; and Mrs. Joseph Stark, Graham town.

Similar meetings will be held every Wednesday evening for the next six weeks at other homes. The speakers will include Miss Nan Jeffries, Mrs. H. R. Aldridge, Mrs. H. H. Griffith, Mrs. Alex G. Close and Edward Richardson. Devotional leaders will be Robert Crump, Mrs. Thomas Price, Mrs. A. T. Bond, Miss Alma Logsdon, Alex G. Close and Vanderbilt Beaman.

Miss Estelle Hosken, Mrs. Cora Stewart, Mrs. James Elias, Mrs. T. Richardson, Walter Cook and Mrs. Melvin Henry will serve as district captains. Mrs. Nell Zellers, Miss Mabel Myers, Miss Nell Raley, Mrs. William Jenkins, Mrs. Lilly Simons and Miss Marguerite Groves will serve as principals.

The cottage meetings will be followed by a "decision day" February 16 in the lecture room of the church. From March 9 to 14, a group of seventy members of the church will visit Frostburg homes to secure promise of attendance at evangelistic services to be conducted at the church from March 30 to April 6 by the Rev. Omer Bruce Poulsen of the Central Presbyterian conference.

To Aid Missions

Episcopal churches of Frostburg and Lonaconing are joining other parishes throughout the nation in aiding British missionary work, which is suffering on account of the war.

The Church of England always follows the British flag, and has missions in every continent, but the home church is now unable to extend her full customary support to her missions. Therefore, the American Episcopal Church, without any suggestions from England, resolved to send to the Archbishop of Canterbury a discretionary fund of \$300,000 to be used in the missionary field.

Collections for the purpose will be taken Sunday at St. John's church, Frostburg, and St. Peter's church at Lonaconing.

Frostburg Briefs

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THE LADY AND THE MOOSE



'Institute of Understanding' Opens Tonight at Piedmont High School

Dr. C. Douglas Booth To
Speak at Forum Spon-
sored by Rotary

WESTERNPORT, Jan. 29—The first in a series of lectures in an "Institute of Understanding" will be delivered tomorrow (Thursday) night at Piedmont high school by Dr. C. Douglas Booth of New York City.

Dr. Booth's subject will be "What's Ahead for Business, Agriculture and Labor?"

The Institute, sponsored by the Piedmont Rotary club for the purpose of studying world problems and their possible solutions, will be conducted as a public forum one evening each week for four weeks. Other lectures are scheduled February 6, 13 and 20.

The Rotarians, at their luncheon at the Potomac hotel today, divided into two teams for an attendance contest during February, March and April.

Captains of the opposing groups are L. J. Kelly and Vernon Staggers.

Members of the team having the best record at the close of the contest will be guests at a dinner financed by members of the losing group.

LEFT AT ANNAPOLIS



Wilford Bowler

Wilford Bowler, seaman aboard the King George V battleship which brought Lord Halifax to the United States, is shown in the Naval Hospital at Annapolis, Md., where he was operated on for appendicitis. The ship left American waters in compliance with neutrality law.

Lonaconing High Students Debate Lease-Lend Bill

Negative Team Declared
Winner in Discussion
at Hi-Y Meeting

Tri-Towns Personals

Calanthe Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, initiated two candidates last night. Refreshments were served.

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As U. S. Organizes Defense Program, Universities Come to Uncle Sam's Aid By Revising Curricula To Meet Needs

By CENTRAL PRESS

CLEVELAND, Jan. 29 — Liberal arts colleges are "arming" for this nation's defense—just as the engineering colleges, schools of medicine and scientific schools are doing—and in surprising ways.

Seventy of the 100 institutions surveyed recently by a national college research organization have faculty committees studying the problems of defense as they relate to educators' future functions. Only one of the 100 has neither a committee nor special activity devoted to national defense. In other cases the president or some college official is taking the responsibility for handling the new problems.

And they are not acting individually. In an attempt to co-ordinate their activities for national defense, the sub-committee on military affairs of the National Committee on Education and Defense is arranging a conference of university and college representatives in Washington Feb. 6.

Build Morale

To offset the changes of Communism and national disloyalty which have been brought about through the activities of a negligible but highly vocal section of the college community, a program for building student and community morale and conviction highly important in modern war heads the list of activities.

New courses in political science, economics, sociology and history are planned. Old courses in literature, history and speech are being "democratized" to give students the special knowledge they will need in the battle of ideologies and isms. There is nothing hysterical or sensational in these innovations. Flag waving is being studiously avoided and only the best interest of democratic philosophy is being considered in the changes.

Recognizing the interest in a clarification of issues and isms, colleges are making extensive plans for holding institutes and forums. Events are scheduled which will give the community new knowledge that will be of major importance to successful individual planning. For example, one middle western college is offering a series of free lectures on "Problems in Hemisphere Defense." Speakers are to be presented, who will explain the needs of various divisions of our military defense. Others will discuss the economic, industrial, geographical, cultural and political aspects of the situation.

Trained men are needed for the defense program, for it is "big business." Conferences are being held with defense officials, as well as with business executives everywhere, to determine how the college program can meet the needs along the industrial front. In all these discussions, college administrations are keeping in mind the need for maintenance of the usual high standards of instruction and scholarship.

Expand Athletics

Following reports of lack of fitness among a large percentage of conscripted youth, colleges are adopting a policy of an expanding athletic program intended to benefit more young men.

Sixty of the colleges studied are carrying on such an athletics program. DePauw, for example, has a program aimed at physical preparedness for 80 per cent of its men, and 90 per cent of the men at Colgate are benefiting from the new athletic program.

Fifty-nine are adding to their courses in health and first aid, knowledge which is invaluable in wartime with its civilian bombings.

Co-operating further with Secretary of State Cordell Hull in the promotion of the good neighbor policy, 62 of the 100 colleges are scheduling courses on institutes, or both, dealing with Latin-American problems. Spanish and Portuguese are gaining in popularity, too, as a result of this effort at co-operation.

In anticipation of a need for the solution of the increasingly complex social, economic and political problems of the future, widespread consideration is being given to courses in these fields. 58 of the colleges surveyed reporting improvements in these fields.

Increase Research

In an effort to find more efficient and speedier methods of selecting men for work in defense industries and in the armed services, the colleges are engaging in much new personnel research. Studies of fighting equipment for combating the enemy, as well as disease, have become a part of the research program of the universities. Research and testing services of 51 colleges and being or have been mobilized for defense use.

Women's colleges are as unanimous in their activity in the defense program as are the co-educational and men's colleges, the survey reveals. All nine of the women's colleges reporting are making some contribution, as are the 12 exclusively men's colleges.

Most radicals of changes of curriculum in the women's colleges is reported from Russell Sage college where a program to prepare students "for almost any civilian emergency" has been worked out.

In the men's college division, Colgate is offering a varied program which includes courses on everything from aid to the aged to a defense course in trigonometry. Colgate students are being urged to give more attention to geology and geography, too. Next semester a course on "Dictatorships" will be a sequel to this term's Democracy in the Modern World."

"Industrial Mobilization" is a curriculum innovation at Georgetown University and Cleveland College of Western Reserve University introduces next month a short course in "Straight and Crooked Thinking."

Most detailed activity reported in the survey was from Northwestern University.

Mrs. T. S. Davis Dies

Carl Davis of Parsons is reported dead of the death of his mother, Mrs. T. S. Davis, at Elkins yesterday morning. Mrs. Davis had been in failing health for the past few months.

Mrs. Davis was born at Lewisville, Monroe County, Ohio, December 24, 1864, a daughter of the late John and Isabel Allen Willyard. She became the pride of Mr. Davis December 23, 1888, at Green Valley, Ohio, near Mount Vernon. The couple had six children, five of whom survive.

She was a member of First Methodist church and was a member of the Women's Benefit association.

Guild To Meet

The Arnan Guild will be entertained at the home of Mrs. S. L. Coberly, Monday at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Arthur Valentine will be in charge of the program. The guild is making last minute plans for a rummage sale to be held Saturday at the Green Shutter shop.

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Pallbearers were Harry O. Miller, Howard Miller, Garland Hummel, Christian Miller, Floyd McIntyre and Earl Garlitz. Interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

Mr. Crowe, a well-known farmer, died at his home at New Germany Saturday night at the age of seventy-three.

Rites for Infant

Services were held at the home this afternoon for Donald Ray Kinsinger, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Kinsinger, Grantsville, and the Rev. Roy L. Kinsinger, Grantsville, and the Rev. Roy Otto, pastor of the Springs (Pa.) Mennonite church, officiated. A quartet composed of the Rev. Milton B. Miller, Irvin Miller, Walter Otto and Alva Yoder, sang several hymns.

Pallbearers were Daniel Folk, Darrell Stahl, Dale Kinsinger and Robert Resh. Burial was in the Folk cemetery near here.

The baby, six months old, died Monday at the home of his parents.

Grantsville Briefs

Grantsville's annual President's Birthday ball will be held at the Meshack Browning club near here Saturday night. The Aristocrats have been engaged to furnish music for dancing, and a large crowd is expected.

The fact that the Grantsville area is blanketed with snow is not expected to interfere greatly. The highway maintenance men who patrol the main highway with snow plows, have kept it open for traffic, and arrangements have been made to keep the road leading to the club open on Saturday.

Miss Mary Louise Paynich, county health nurse, announced this morning that Dr. H. R. DuPuy, county health officer, will be here Saturday to make pneumonic vaccine tests. All persons who have taken this vaccine prior to January 18 are requested to report for their test at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the school.

The Sixtieth Anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society was the topic at the meeting of the Grantsville society last night. The anniversary will be observed throughout the year. Dalton Stanton served as leader last night, with Betty and James Beachy participating in the program. Betty Beachy was chosen to lead next week's session.

A congregational meeting will be held at the Lutheran church tomorrow (Thursday) evening.

Grantville Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Huff had as their guests yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Neal Morris, Oliphyle, Pa.

Miss Ruth Stanton has returned from Baltimore and Washington.

Margaret Jane Gortner, College Park, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gortner.

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Several thousand rounds of small-caliber ammunition exploded, but none

of the men was hit.

When she arrived, White House guards promptly intercepted her and turned her over to the city receiving station. There, officers said, she blamed a brother for opening the White House letter and adding the invitation.

Officers said she would be put on a train for home tomorrow.

Helene Kegg sparked the Mars attack with a 354 set. Elva Rice brushed 303 pegs to lead the Shooting Stars.

Florence Schiott hit 322, Margaret Winn had 313 for the Comets and Lillian Treiber topped 303 for the Starlets.</p

Movie Stars Reach Washington To Attend President's Ball

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 (AP)—Screen stars from Hollywood arrived today by train and plane to participate in balls to celebrate President Roosevelt's fifty-ninth birthday tomorrow and raise funds for a campaign against infantile paralysis.

In Washington and from one end of the country to the other, birthday parties will be held tomorrow night. President Roosevelt, himself a victim of the dread "polio," will speak to the celebrants over the major radio networks at 11:24 p.m. EST.

While all the gala affairs are in progress, the chief executive will spend the evening with friends who have helped him observe his birthday annually since 1921. They will be dinner guests at the White House and watch him cut his personal birthday cake.

Mr. Roosevelt will not attend the balls to be held at five Washington hotels. But Mrs. Roosevelt will, and so will more than a dozen movie luminaries. Official committees and avid film fans already have welcomed Deanna Durbin, Kay Aldridge, Lana Turner, Wayne Morris, Maureen O'Hara, George Raft, Wallace Beery and five-year-old Carolyn Lee to Washington. Little Carolyn, in a hospital with the flu, will miss the parties.

Among those expected later on are Tommy Harmon, Michigan's football hero; Benny Goodman and his orchestra, and Red Skelton.

Their schedule includes a luncheon at the White House, broadcast and reception at a downtown hotel, visits to the five balls and two movie theaters, attendance at Mr. Roosevelt's own broadcast, and a \$25-a-ticket gold plate breakfast at another mid-town hotel.

Seek Truck Permit

BALTIMORE, Jan. 29 (AP)—Application of the Charlton Brothers Truck Lines of Hagerstown for a permit to extend its service north of that city to the Pennsylvania line will be heard by the public service commission here Feb. 6. The line operates between Baltimore and Hagerstown.

Leahy Sees Petain

VICHY, France, Jan. 29 (AP)—United States Ambassador Admiral William D. Leahy was received today by Chief of State Marshall Petain. At the embassy it was said the two exchanged views on the general situation.

Allen Signs with Browns

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 28 (AP)—Johnny Allen, veteran right-handed pitcher, signed a 1941 contract with the St. Louis Browns today. The salary was not announced.



But if we attempt to underwrite a British victory, it means active entry into the war, a long exhausting and suicidal world conflict. In an address prepared for broad-

cast over the Columbia Broadcast System, Wood called the aid bill "dangerous—essentially a war bill—without limits as to time, countries or money."

FLASH GORDON—On the Planet Mongo



Gettysburg Rallies To Beat Western Maryland 36 to 24

New Patrol Bomber Better than Expected

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29 (AP)—Northrop Aircraft Company said today its new patrol bomber has passed all flight tests and exceeded performance expectations by at least ten per cent.

"It's like a homesick angel bound for heaven," commented Moe Stevens, Northrop test pilot.

The plane was designed for Norway, which ordered twenty-four and these, because of the Norwegian invasion, are to be shipped to Norway.

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Jurges Bowls

Billy Jurges, injured Giant player, is getting along well enough to bowl a couple of times a week, but complains his heart is affected and that he can't stand excitement.

Great Britain Calls More Classes to Colors

LONDON, Jan. 29 (AP)—Great Britain called men of 18 to 19 and 37 to 40 to the colors today and announced that future exceptions to military service would depend more on the actual job the man is doing than on his age or listed occupation.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 29 (AP)—General Robert E. Wood, chairman of the America First committee, tonight urged amendment of the British-aid bill to provide specifically against use of the U. S. navy to convoy or assist belligerent ships, against sending armed American forces abroad and against using American merchant ships for supplies to war zones.

"We can and should help England to defend itself by every means in our power short of war, because that is in our best interests," he said.

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Stocks Turn Down when U. S. Steel Profit Report Looks Unfavorable

Numerous Issues Sell Off from One to Four Points

NEW YORK, Jan. 29 (AP) — The stock market took a decisive turn to the downside today, numerous issues yielding losses of 1 to around 4 points.

Starting in steels after overnight publication of United States Steel's fourth quarter profit report, the selling spread through the list.

At the close the Associated Press composite price of 60 stocks was down 8 to 428, the lowest since August.

United States Steel finished down 2½ at 44½ and Bethlehem was off 2½ at 82½. DuPont lost 3½ at 132. Douglas Aircraft was off nearly 3 at 71½.

Closing 1 to 4 lower were Republic Steel, Johns Manville, Eastman, American Can, Air Reduction, American Smelting, U. S. Gypsum, Bowing, Santa Fe, Phelps Dodge, Allied Chemical, General Electric, U. S. Rubber and International Harvester.

Transactions increased to 599,690 shares compared with 467,730 the previous session. Sales were 127,000 shares against 95,000 yesterday.

New York Stocks

	High	Low	Last
Alco Corp.	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Alcoa & Div.	170 1/2	168 1/2	168 1/2
Am. Can.	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Am. Chas.	31 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Am. Can.	89 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Am. Can.	87 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Am. Can.	87 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Am. Can.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Am. Can.	42	41	41
A. T. & T.	160	155	155
Am. Can. B.	67 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Am. Wire Wks.	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Arm. & Mfg.	200	195	195
B. & O.	104	102	102

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Bonds Decline

NEW YORK, Jan. 29 (AP) — The bond market was affected by pessimism in other financial quarters today and turned down by fractions to two points or more. Some industrials were resistant.

Sales of \$8,197,425, par value, compared with \$8,920,150 on Tuesday.

Giving ground easily under only moderate offerings were, among others, International Telephone & Telegraph 3½ at 39 ¾; Illinois Central 4½ at 42 ¼; Erie 5s at 18 ½; Rock Island General 4s at 18 ½; Allegany stamping 5s at 60 and Nickel Plate 4 ½ at 61.

The break was attributed largely to stop loss selling and "short" sales, partly inspired by weakness of securities losses of 5 to 6 cents since January 7 without any material revival of consuming demand on the wheat part of millers or flour users.

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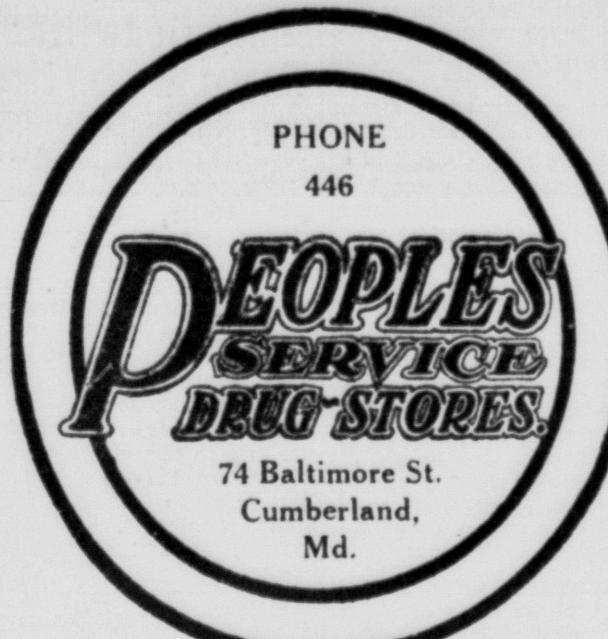
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Dempsey Has Louis's Handlers Guessing

All Are Wondering
What Red Burman
Will Pull in Ring

Old Manassa Mauler
Contends that Champ Has
Definite Weakness

Jack May Know Some-
thing which Will Help
His Protege

By SID FEDER
NEW YORK, Jan. 29 (AP)—Jack Dempsey is better known around and about for his "cock-slogy" than his psychology.

But, as "Dr. Jack," he has applied to Friday night's heavyweight title tussle between Red Burman and Joe Louis a distinct master-minding touch which has the boxer'sistic brain trust at least a little upset, if not downright worried.

Everyone has been telling Louis' handlers for weeks that Red doesn't stand a chance in there against the champion's big guns, that Joe probably can name the round and the punch. Yet, the boxer's brain trust has asked, on more than one occasion, "what will Dempsey pull?"

Dempsey Has Em Proving

They know that the Old Manassa Mauler won't be in the ring Friday, that the Baltimore red-head is strictly on his own once that bell rings. They also know, however, that for the last couple of years, Jack has been roaming up and down the country telling one and all Louis is a good fighter out there's a definite weakness in his style." They wonder, as a result, if, by some chance, Jack may have something up his sleeve which will turn his 10 to 1 shot protege, Burman, into the surprise package to end all surprise packages.

What Jack means by a weakness, he explained today, is that Louis' Achilles heel is in his head.

"He can't take a punch around the head," Jack insisted. "Schmeling knocked him out, Galento had him groggy and Braddock and Jorge had him on the floor."

"Any style of attack that is at all unusual mixes Joe up. Well, Burman has a crouching weaving style and has learned a couple of things about throwing hooks to the body out of a crouch. He's also a dead game fellow. I won't say he's a cinch to win, but he's got more than a chance."

"Sure we're trying to worry the Louis crowd. We've got to try every angle we can think of. When you're up against a guy like the champ, who is a great puncher, you've got to fight fire with fire."

**Petersburg Defeats
Bayard 38 to 20**

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Jan. 29.—Petersburg high school defeated Bayard high here last night 38 to 20 in a Potomac Valley Conference basketball game.

Ray Hill was the individual scoring leader, the Petersburg center scoring 17 points. Frazier with nine points led the scoring for Bayard.

Coach "Whitey" Kendall of Petersburg used twelve players.

The lineup:

	G.	F.G.	Pts.
Frazier	1	1-3	2
J. Frazier	1	2-4	2
Brown	1	6-8	2
Reddenhauer	1	1-2	3
Day	1	6-1	6
D. Cawley	1	0-0	2
Keller	1	0-0	2
	6	12-20	38
Totals	6	10-18	38
Non-scoring	Groves, Nease, Shope.		
Referees—Frye.			

**Committee Hears
Charges Brought
By Boxing Referee**

ANNAPOLIS, Jan. 29 (AP)—Charges that a Maryland referee was refused payment by the State Athletic Commission after officiating in 102 bouts were brought before the House of Delegates Ways and Means committee today.

The hearing was postponed, however, until a later date when Stanley Scherr, commission chairman, told the committee that through a mixup he had come to Annapolis without records of the case.

In a brief appearance Scherr explained the referee, Thomas Rush of Baltimore, was released in February 1940, when the commission decided he was "not competent."

Rush said he refereed 118 fights for the commission in 1938, 1939 and up to Feb. 22, 1940, but that his only compensation was \$5 after the first 16 bouts.

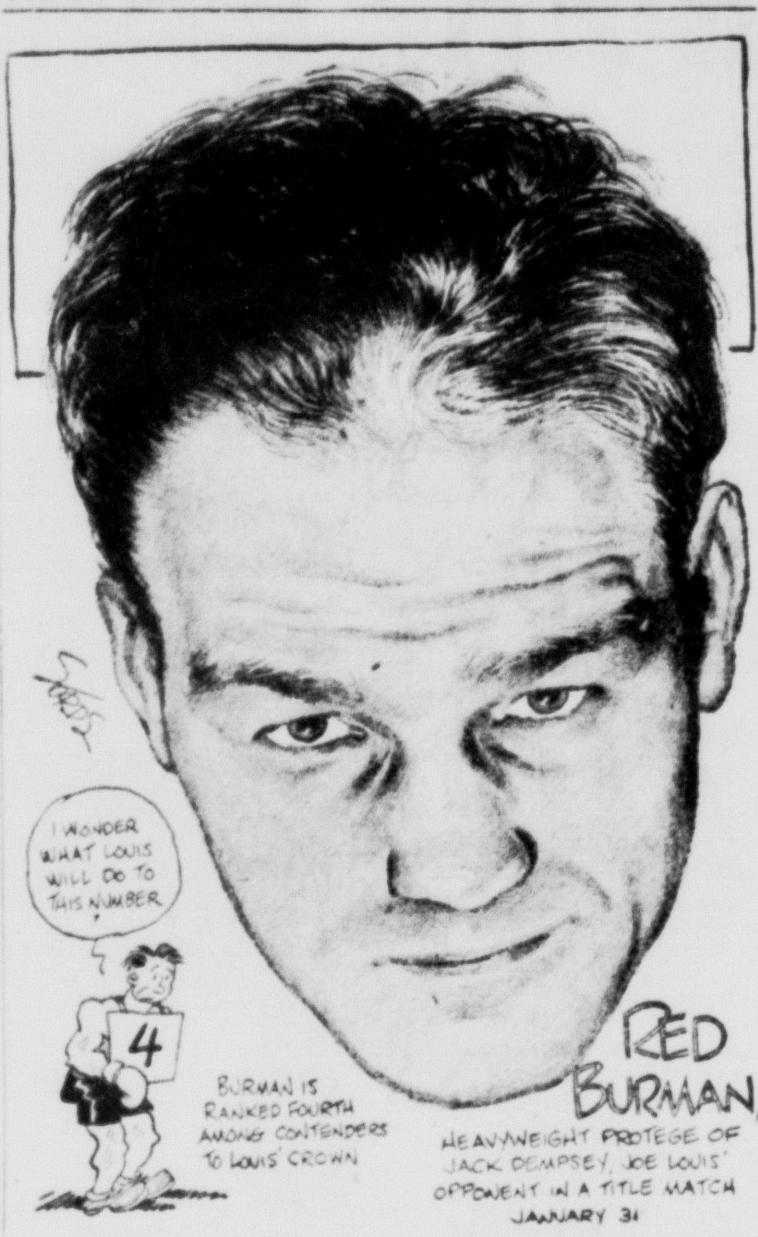
"If this referee was not competent," declared Delegate Chester G. Kosakowski (D-FIRST, Baltimore), "why was he permitted to go into the ring at 118 bouts?"

Scherr was instructed to appear with the commission records at another hearing date of which was not immediately set.

Mize Is a Holdout

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 28 (AP)—Johnny Mize whose forty-three home runs topped both major leagues last year, declined to accept the 1941 contract offered today by the Cardinals. Salary figures were not disclosed.

LOUIS'S FOE BY JACK SORDS



The Spotlight by GRANTLAND RICE

(Released by North American Newspaper Alliance)

Larry MacPhail's Challenge

LOS ANGELES—The Cincinnati Reds and St. Louis Cardinals are warned to be on the lookout. The challenge comes from that combination of Marc Polo, Attilla and Demosthenes, the orator. His name is Larry MacPhail of the Brooklyn Dodgers who at the time I cornered him was bounding all over California on a rush trip with the speed of a coyote.

I nabbed Maestro MacPhail in company with Hank Greenberg of the Tigers and Fred Haney, the hustling manager of the St. Louis Browns. At the moment Fred Haney was trying to escape MacPhail before any new trades were made.

"If you get an even break trading with MacPhail," Haney said gloomily, "you are better than lucky."

I asked Maestro MacPhail if he had any statements to make regarding the new season, just a bit on ahead. This was a foolish question, knowing in advance Maestro MacPhail would have several statements to make.

Just tell Bill McKechnie and his world series Reds to look out," MacPhail said. "Bill is a great manager and he has a fine ball club. But we also have a great manager and I think a better ball club."

We are no longer in the process of building up. We've had two years of that. Now I think we are ready to shoot the works. If we can't beat the Reds I think the Cardinals will. On term it should be a three-club race—Dodgers, Reds and Cardinals. I think this time we can put it over."

A Few Whys and Wherefores

I asked Mr. MacPhail for further and more intimate details concerning his revived and revised Dodger staff.

Mr. MacPhail had a earload of such details at hand.

Last season, he said, "We had just as good a ball club as Cincinnati had—outside of the pitching. I think we had a better ball club. But we had every break against us in the way of injuries."

Now we have our pitching greatly strengthened. Higbie will make a big difference. Wyatt will be much better. Casey and Hamlin are due for a big jump forward. Fitzsimmons is still a valuable aid. We had no pitchers last season to match Bucky Walters and Paul Derringer. Well have em this time.

Walters and Derringer won't keep on forever winning from forty-five to fifty games a year. Junior Thompson is always dangerous. But from our list we should be able to drag out at least five winning pitchers with one or more in reserve—I mean from Higbie, Wyatt, Curt Davis, Fitzsimmons, Casey, Hamlin, Van Lingle Mungo, who by the way is rearing to go. I won't go through the whole list.

For the first time, however, I feel our pitching can handle its own against anybody. That's where we've been shy, as I told you a year ago in St. Petersburg.

The Rest Of It

That isn't all," MacPhail said. "Watch Ducky Medwick this year. Last summer Medwick came to us under high pressure. Everyone knew he was a great ball player. He had been with our team only a few days when he was hit in the head with a fast ball.

Medwick was really hurt—worse than we ever knew at the time. We rushed him back into play too quickly, partly because Ducky insisted on action. He was overkeen to make good. A famous doctor later told me that Leo and I should have been arrested for sending him back that soon.

Medwick is a fellow who knows

Local Boys Remain Unbeaten in WMI League Contests

North End Will Meet Pittsburgh Club Here Sunday

Strong Minford Aggregation Said To Be as Good as Weiss Big Five

Another basketball team from the Pittsburgh district will come here Sunday afternoon for a game with the North End Social and Athletic Club cagers.

Announcement was made yesterday that the Pittsburgh Minfords have been booked to meet the North Enders on SS Peter and Paul school gym at 3:15 o'clock, following a preliminary at 2 o'clock between the North End Reserves and the Keyser, W. Va., Blue Jays.

Allegany and Fort Hill boys are in a tie for first place, each having won four league games. Allegany girls hold undisputed possession of first place in the girls' division, having won four games without tasting defeat.

Tomorrow night when Fort Hill meets Allegany at the Camper gym the boys will be battling for leadership of the WMI League as well as to better their position in the three-way race for the city championship.

Other WMI teams trail Fort Hill and Allegany in the following order: Beale high of Frostburg in third place; Central of Lonaconing, fourth; Bruce of Westerport, fifth and Barton sixth. Barton has lost four games in league competition and has been unable to score a victory.

Central girls hold second place with Barton third, Fort Hill fourth. Beale fifth and Bruce sixth.

The standing of the teams follows:

	GIRLS	W.	L.	Pct.
Allegany	4	6	1	.667
Central	1	1	1	.500
Barton	2	2	3	.333
Fort Hill	2	2	3	.333
Beale	1	3	2	.333
Bruce	0	4	0	.000

	BOYS	W.	L.	Pct.
Allegany	4	6	1	.667
Fort Hill	2	2	3	.333
Beale	1	3	2	.333
Central	1	3	2	.333
Bruce	0	4	0	.000
Barton	0	4	0	.000

**Jackets Are Ready
For Players in Bi-State League**

Players in the Bi-State Baseball League who won individual honors in the 1940 season can receive the jackets which were awarded as prizes in contacting William H. Lemmett in Frostburg. The jackets are being distributed by the Lemmett Hardware Company.

Those who will receive awards and individual feats which won for them are:

**University of Maryland
Boxing Team Wins**

VAN ROBY, Cumberland, bat-
ting; STANLEY STEITZ, Frostburg, pit-
ching; GEORGE MARBLE, Midland,
home runs; ART SCAILLI, Keyser,
runs batted in; DANNY DREW,
Frostburg, total bases and JOE
GEATZ, Cumberland, stolen
bases.

**Local Basketball
Teams Will Be
Idle Tonight**

Cumberland's three scholastic basketball teams will be idle again tonight but will see plenty action Friday and Saturday nights.

Friday night Fort Hill and Allegany meet for the first time this year in the Camper's gym, with the WMI league lead at stake. Saturday night Fort Hill will be host to Handley high of Winchester, Va., in a game to be played in the Sentinel's gym. LaSalle will take to the road again Saturday going to Altoona, Pa., for a return game with Altoona Catholic high.

Games in the Tri-State section tonight will find Elk Garden at Barton, Davis at Thomas and Matthias at Paw Paw.

Fights Tuesday Night

(By The Associated Press)
INDIANAPOLIS—Johnny Dennis, Indianapolis boxer, was outpointed by Bernard Davis, Birmingham, Ala. (16).

NEW YORK—Young Bobby Ruffin, 135, Astoria, N. Y., drew 1½, White Plains, N. Y., Eddie O'Leary, 135½, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., outpointed Carlos Cuevas, 123½, Puerto Rico, 8.

Reading, Pa.—Dominic Plantini, 126, Reading, outpointed Andre Sanders, 127, Panama, 16.

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familiar as Bucky Walters or Ted Williams or Bill Dickey before many seasons.

Our favorite is Garton Del Savio, shortstop candidate whom the Reds grabbed after a fine season at Birmingham in the Southern Association. There's a name that would grace any society drama. It's music. And as a fitting touch Garton dabbles in oils with more than ordinary skill.

The Cardinals have a couple of lads with fancy labels—Carden Gillenwater, classy outfielder from the New Orleans club, and Coaker Triplett, another good outfielder prospect.

The Pirates have three good pro-gamers in J. Addis Copple, a southpaw pitcher with an amateur and semi-pro record and a college education behind him; Oadis Swartz, who the past two seasons did some September pitching for the Bucs, and Alton Wilkie, who had a fine season as pitcher with Seattle in 1940.

Seventeen Eastern athletes were awarded positions. The Mid-West was next in line with nine, followed by the Far-West with eight. Three went to the South and two to the Southwest, both to Fred Wolcott, Rice Institute's great hurler.

Wolcott, who also gained two berths on Ferris' All-College team, was one of the dozen that repeated. The others were John Borican, Elberon, N. J. 1000-yard run; Gregory Rice, South Bend, Ind., 5,000-meter run; Ellison Brown, Westerville, R. I., 20-kilometer run; Don Lash, Indiana State Police, cross country; Alan Tolmich, Detroit, 70-yard hurdles; Al Cerone, Irvington, N. J., 10-kilometer walk; John Rahkonen, New York, 30-kilometer walk; Les Steers, San Francisco, high jump; Cornelius Warmerdam, San Francisco, pole vault; Phil Fox, San Francisco, discus, and Joe McCluskey, New York A. C., steeplechase.

The team also included: 30-kilometer run—Barney Gedwillas, Thomas, W. Va.; marathon—Don Heimke, Baltimore.

All-America Track Team Is Announced

Barney Gedwillas, of Thomas, W. Va., Chosen for 30-Kilometer Run

NEW YORK, Jan. 29 (AP)—With twelve of last year's team again gaining recognition, Eastern athletes dominated the All-America track and field team selected today on the basis of 1940 performances by Dan Ferris, secretary-treasurer of the Amateur Athletic Union.

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Ridgeley Swamps Romney High 31 to 13

**Turn in Fourth
Straight Win in
Conference Play**

**Hahn-Coached Team Takes
Nine out of Thirteen
Contests**

**Team Undefeated in
League Games; Will Play
Piedmont Saturday**

Ridgeley high schools fast improving basketball club walloped Romney high last night 31 to 13 in a conference game played at Ridgeley before a fair-sized crowd.

Romney was completely outclassed with the Hahn-coached team running up a 14 to 2 lead in the first quarter and holding the visitors scoreless in the second period, making the score 19 to 2 at the end of the half.

Sixth Straight Victory

Only in the fourth quarter did Romney outscore Ridgeley and that was after Hahn put in his second team. In the last period Romney scored seven points to four for Ridgeley, but with the Mineral county team holding a 27 to 6 lead going into the fourth quarter there was no doubt about the outcome of the game.

Last night's victory was the fourth consecutive Potomac Valley Conference game for Ridgeley and the sixth consecutive game the team has won. The West Virginians have won nine out of thirteen games played this season, and have been improving rapidly in the last few weeks, turning in an upset victory over LaSalle last week.

Ridgeley is undefeated in the Potomac Valley Conference and is the only team which has not been beaten in league competition this season.

Play Piedmont Saturday

Washabaugh and Lookbaugh, Ridgeley's "scoring twins" did most of the scoring against Romney, making 21 points between them, with Washabaugh having 11 and Lookbaugh 10.

Hott, a substitute guard, was high scorer for Ridgeley with three points.

In a preliminary game the Ridgeley Junior high team defeated Romney Juniors 15 to 12 in hard fought and interesting contest.

Saturday night Ridgeley will play Piedmont at Ridgeley in another Potomac Valley Conference game.

The lineups:

	G	F	Pts.
RIDGELEY (3D)	6	2	6-0
Abe f	1	1-1	11
Washabaugh f	4	2-3	10
Lookbaugh f	2	6-0	11
Hoffman k	0	6-0	0
Thompson f	0	6-0	0
Adams c	0	6-0	0
Lewis c	0	6-0	0
Smith g	5	6-0	0
Robertson g	1	1-1	2
Totals	14	3-8	31
ROMNEY (13)	6	F	Pts.
Sanders f	1	6-0	0
Millenson f	0	6-0	0
Wagner c	0	6-0	0
Connor g	1	0-1	2
Long g	1	0-1	2
Saville f	0	6-0	0
Michael g	0	6-0	0
Heaver g	1	0-1	2
Hott g	1	1-1	3
Totals	8	1-8	13
Periods	4	4	7-13
RIDGELEY	14	5	8
ROMNEY	2	0	4
Referee—Cliff Fearer.			7-13

Keyser Wallops
Fort Ashby Cagers
By 42 to 11 Score

FORT ASHBY, W. Va., Jan. 29.—Keyser high school cagers invaded this town tonight to defeat the weak Fort Ashby courtstors 42 to 11. The Golden Tornado from Keyser won as it pleased with the subs continuing the massacre when injected into the fray. Burns led the winners with eleven points, closely followed by Dorsey, a sub who garnered ten markers. Arnold made five points for the losers. The lineups:

	G	F	Pts.
KEYSER	6	F	Pts.
Arnold f	1	2-1	2
Freeland f	1	1-1	2
Burns c	5	1-2	11
Cesare g	0	1-1	3
Wilson g	0	1-1	3
Dorsey f	4	2-2	10
Shallis f	2	1-2	5
Davis f	1	0-1	2
Arnold c	0	1-1	1
Totals	17	8-13	42
RIDGELEY	6	F	Pts.
A. Miller f	0	6-0	0
Arnold f	2	1-1	2
D. Welch f	1	0-1	2
Decemper g	6	0-1	3
Malone g	1	1-1	2
Dowden f	0	1-1	2
B. Miller f	0	1-1	2
Referee—"Huck" Miers.	4	3-8	11

"Y" Pinboys Defeat Club Boys in a Special Match

The Y.M.C.A. pinboys invaded the Club Bowling Alley last night and handed the Club pinboys a setback 46 pins in a three game total pin match.

Going into the last game the Club boys held a 103 pin lead over the "Y" rollers but the "Y" boys staged a rally which brought them a well earned victory.

Don Bowman and "Ace" Kelly were best for the "Y" boys while Babe Diehl was best for the losers.

Baseball League for Tri-Towns Will Be Discussed Tonight

LUKE, Jan. 29.—John T. Kazlo, who is prominent in local sports circles announced yesterday that a meeting will be held at the Devon Club tonight at 7:30 o'clock to discuss the possibility of securing sponsors for a Tri-Towns twilight baseball league this summer.

All persons who are interested in seeing the league organized are welcome to attend the meeting and express their views.

College Basketball

University of Virginia 40, Army 36, Gettysburg College 36, Western Maryland Fresh 26.

Beckley State 40, New River 54, Wilmington 31, Penn State 27, Georgetown 28, Penn State 24.

Marshall College 63, Prospect YMCA 48.

Harpers Ferry, W. Va. 34, Brunswick, Md. 11, Berkeley Springs 16, St. Joseph, Martinsburg 54, Bunkerhill 17.

**From the
PRESS BOX**

By JOHN LARDNER
North American Newspaper Alliance

**Louis Has Tough Time
Trying to Add Weight**

NEW YORK, Jan. 29—Madison Square Garden is selling out for Friday night on the strength of a rumor that the customers will see two Joe Louis for the price of one. With Red Burman thrown in as a bargain special.

This is in line with Mr. Louis' private expansion program, which parallels the army's and navy's. It appears that Joseph is trying to double himself by January, 1942. In the last few months, by way of preparation, he has taken on every available pork chop and chicken wing as fast as the stuff came off the assembly lines at Detroit.

The fans will be disappointed, though, if they expect to see the complete expanded Louis as early as Friday night of this week, when he fights Burman. These things take time, and Joe's program is several weeks behind, owing to a bottleneck here and a bottleneck there. The best increase he can hope for Friday is about two per cent.

The fans will see a bigger Louis, but not a genuine duplex.

Champ Regards Himself Sadly

"I am still in pretty good shape," says the champ, sadly. "Looking down, I can see my feet without much trouble."

Anxious to find out what was holding up the progress of this vital industry, your correspondent paid a visit to the Louis training camp at Greenwood Lake, N. Y. When I saw Louis in Boston last month, he was coming along fine. He had about four extra pounds on him, all fat. By now, at the same rate of progress, he ought to weigh around 207 or 208 pounds. But he doesn't. He probably will take the ring against Burman at 203 or 204, only two percent above normal. What is the trouble?

Well, it turns out that several details are holding up production. One is the weather. It hasn't snowed enough.

"Natchally," said Mr. Louis, "I figured that the cold and the snow would keep me indoors and put some weight on me. But the snow stopped, and the weather was warm, so I got out and took a couple of pounds off."

Outdoors, it is practically impossible for Joe to do any eating. Right there you have one of the most important bottlenecks in the expansion program.

Another thing is the business of sleds. Louis had a great idea for taking exercise outdoors without losing weight.

"I will get me a sled and coast down hill over there," he said.

"That's nice work, and I will see a lot of scenery and improve my mind without ruining my digestion."

"Fine," said his trainer, Jack Blackburn. "It's a nice long hill."

Deserted By Helpers

Mr. Louis discovered the truth of this remark as soon as he got to the bottom on his sled. He looked around for somebody to pull the sled up again, but his sparring partners and his secretary, anticipating this emergency, had gone to the movies.

"Nobody here to get the sled up the hill again," Joe complained.

"That's true," said Mr. Blackburn, scratching his head.

"How about you?" said the champion hopefully.

"Me? With my sciatica?" said Mr. Blackburn, shocked. "Do you want to kill me?"

"Well, I don't want to kill myself," muttered Mr. Louis, but failing to see any help in sight, he pulled up the sled himself, losing half a pound of good, honest fat every time he did so. You can see that this got him nowhere. It was just one of those vicious circles.

So what with one thing and another, the heavyweight champion of the world will fight Mr. Burman this week with scarcely five pounds of surplus weight around his middle, and the customers are in for a bitter disappointment. For the price of one Louis, which is \$1150 ringside, they will see only about one and two one-hundredths Louis—not much of a bargain offer, when you come right down to it.

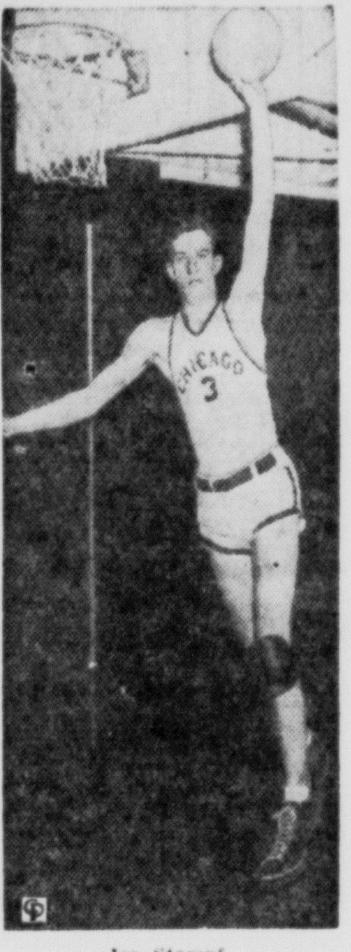
And the trouble is, Joe has three or four more fights scheduled for this winter and spring, which will keep him busy right up until June, when he meets Bill Conn. I frankly do not see much hope of real expansion before then.

But you can't say the champ isn't trying, when you watch him go after his virtuals. If he does fail to double himself this year, it will be no fault of Joe's. Just the breaks.

THEY STAR IN BIG TEN RACE



Bill Menke
Indiana



Joe Stampf
Chicago

**Three Games Will
Be Played Friday
In New Beall Gym**

Three basketball games are scheduled to be played Friday night in Beall high school's new gymnasium in Frostburg, when the spacious court is used for the first time for a public attraction.

Beall and Barton Girls will have the honor of being the first teams to use the gym. This game will get under way at 7 o'clock and will be followed at 8 p.m. by a contest between Beall and Barton boys. These games are both W.M.I. League contests.

For those who lean to statistics, Griffith scored 354 points his first year, as a freshman member of the varsity, and added 380 more as a sophomore.

**Feller May Prove
Johnson's Equal,
Oldtimer Asserts**

The third game of the evening will be between Frostburg State Teachers and his three-year mark had bested the best three years of Luisetti's four years by 18 points, 130 to 121. Luisetti had counted 305, 410, 416 and 465 in succeeding years.

This season Griffith has connected for 267 points in twelve games.

The best game of his career was against Concord State Teachers last season, when he counted 41 points for his evening's work. Twice this year he has scored 34 points a game, against Toledo DeSales and Salem.

Alderson Broaddus has won fifty-eight and lost twenty-four games over the past four years. This season's record is eight wins and four losses.

Johnson's record is 100 wins and 44 losses.

Both Johnson and Griffith have been in the top ten in the Big Ten.

Ben Keeney of Chicago was the victim in thirty-six innings, 50 to 12. The time was fifty-five minutes, five more than Hoppe required in winning his opener last night.

Hoppe encountered difficulty in making early headway, but finished fast. Leading 18 to 9 in the twenty-first inning, he connected for thirty points in the next eight innings, finally running out with one billion in each of the thirty-fifth and thirty-sixth frames.

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Ben said he is sure the Major League pitchers of the present era had it harder than those of his day because of the lively ball.

Ben who pitched for the Chicago White Sox from 1908 through 1919, tonight was in a no-hit game against Cleveland on May 31, 1914, and missed another no-hitter by the narrowest margin ten days later when he hurled a one-hitter shutout that beat Johnson and the Washington Senators.

But Ben said he is sure the Major League pitchers of the present era had it harder than those of his day because of the lively ball.

Ben who stands six feet and as straight as the elm that yielded the bark (spiny elm) which brought him fame on the mound, says the pitchers today are lucky to escape some arms trying to get the lively ball past the batters.

Ben used slippery elm. He moistened the tips of the first two fingers on his right hand, doubled his thumb under the ball and delivered with a hard over-hand toss. The ball traveled without spinning until it approached the plate. Then, as the elm "got the breeze," the ball suddenly rotated and a sharp curve ball.

"Contrary to popular belief, the spitball was a delivery that pitchers had very good control over," says Ben. "It was a victim of the campaign against foreign substances used by pitchers, also because it was so hard to catch and broke so many catchers' fingers."

LaGuardia Airport in New York, the busiest in the world, has 4,500 employees.

Greenberg's number, 621, is expected to come up about June 1. He has indicated he will not ask for deferment.

**Greenberg's Draft
Questionnaire Is
In the Mail**

BLONDIE



BRICK BRADFORD—On the Throne of Titania



By WILLIAM RITT and CLARENCE GRAY

MUGGS AND SKEETER



By WALLY BISHOP

BIG SISTER



By LES FORGRAVE

"BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH"



By BILLY DEBECK

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY



By BRANDON WALSH

ETTA KETT



By PAUL ROBINSON

JASPER

By Frank Owen



GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichy



THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



DAILY CROSSWORD

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1. Covered with stars	25. Forward	26. Kinds	27. Machine gun inventor	31. Machine gun inventor	32. Exclamation	33. Exclamation	34. ERA
5. Dip water	8. Whirlpool	9. Ascend	10. Mass of ice	11. Deviated from a course	35. Like	36. Like	37. Like
9. Ascend	21. Compact	12. Pat	13. Wished	14. Skin tumor	40. Complacent	41. A haukb	42. Howl
11. Compact	13. Wished	15. Regret	16. Being of one mind	17. Likely	43. Goddess of discord	44. Lemont	45. Eye
12. Pat	17. Pig pen	18. Girl's name	19. Therefore	20. Inexpensive	46. Eye	47. Required	48. Undivided
13. Wished	18. Girl's name	20. To cut off	21. Dialect	22. To set in	49. Undivided	50. Below (prefix)	51. Below (prefix)
14. Skin tumor	21. Dialect	23. Smells	24. Was detected	25. Half ems	52. Disease of sheep	53. Through	54. Grow old
15. Regret	22. To set in	26. Neon (sym.)	27. Suggestion	28. Neon (sym.)	34. Part of 'to be'	35. Thrash	36. To be
16. Being of one mind	27. Suggestion	29. Exclamation	30. Half ems	31. Disease of sheep	37. Appends	38. Watery snow	39. Watery snow
17. Likely	30. Custom	31. Machine gun inventor	32. Through	33. Grow old	40. Vegetable	41. Fetish	42. Therefore
18. Therefore	33. Decent	34. Exclamation	34. Part of 'to be'	35. Thrash	43. Goddess of discord	44. Doctrine	45. Therefore
19. Therefore	35. Otherwise	35. Thrash	36. Part of 'to be'	36. Part of 'to be'	45. Was the victor	46. Eye	47. Required
20. Inexpensive	36. Emitted blood	37. Appends	37. Appends	38. Watery snow	47. Requied	48. Nobletonian	49. Undivided
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23. Smells	40. Vegetable	41. Fetish	42. Howl	42. Howl	56. Otherwise	57. Appends	58. Watery snow
24. Was detected	42. Howl	42. Howl	43. Goddess of discord	43. Goddess of discord	58. Otherwise	59. Watery snow	60. Watery snow
25. Half ems	43. Goddess of discord	43. Goddess of discord	44. Doctrine	44. Doctrine	61. Below (prefix)	62. Disease of sheep	63. Through
26. Kinds	44. Doctrine	44. Doctrine	45. Was the victor	45. Was the victor	64. Below (prefix)	65. Watery snow	66. Watery snow
27. Machine gun inventor	45. Lemont	45. Lemont	46. Eye	46. Eye	67. Below (prefix)	68. Watery snow	69. Watery snow
31. Machine gun inventor	46. Eye	46. Eye	47. Required	47. Required	70. Below (prefix)	71. Watery snow	72. Watery snow
32. Exclamation	47. Required	47. Required	48. Undivided	48. Undivided	73. Below (prefix)	74. Watery snow	75. Watery snow
33. Exclamation	48. Undivided	48. Undivided	49. Undivided	49. Undivided	75. Below (prefix)	76. Watery snow	77. Watery snow
34. ERA	49. Undivided	49. Undivided	50. Below (prefix)	50. Below (prefix)	77. Below (prefix)	78. Watery snow	79. Watery snow
35. Like	50. Below (prefix)	50. Below (prefix)	51. Below (prefix)	51. Below (prefix)	79. Below (prefix)	80. Watery snow	81. Watery snow
36. Like	51. Below (prefix)	51. Below (prefix)	52. Disease of sheep	52. Disease of sheep	81. Below (prefix)	82. Watery snow	83. Watery snow
37. Like	52. Disease of sheep	52. Disease of sheep	53. Through	53. Through	83. Below (prefix)	84. Watery snow	85. Watery snow
38. Watery snow	53. Through	53. Through	54. Grow old	54. Grow old	85. Below (prefix)	86. Watery snow	87. Watery snow
39. Watery snow	54. Grow old	54. Grow old	55. Watery snow	55. Watery snow	87. Below (prefix)	88. Watery snow	89. Watery snow
40. Vegetable	55. Watery snow	55. Watery snow	56. Otherwise	56. Otherwise	89. Below (prefix)	90. Watery snow	91. Watery snow
41. Fetish	56. Otherwise	56. Otherwise	57. Appends	57. Appends	90. Watery snow	91. Watery snow	92. Watery snow
42. Howl	57. Appends	57. Appends	58. Watery snow	58. Watery snow	91. Watery snow	92. Watery snow	93. Watery snow
43. Goddess of discord	58. Watery snow	58. Watery snow	59. Watery snow	59. Watery snow	92. Watery snow	93. Watery snow	94. Watery snow
44. Doctrine	59. Watery snow	59. Watery snow	60. Watery snow	60. Watery snow	93. Watery snow	94. Watery snow	95. Watery snow
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47. Required	62. Disease of sheep	62. Disease of sheep	63. Through	63. Through	96. Watery snow	97. Watery snow	98. Watery snow
48. Undivided	63. Through	63. Through	64. Watery snow	64. Watery snow	97. Watery snow	98. Watery snow	99. Watery snow
49. Undivided	64. Watery snow	64. Watery snow	65. Watery snow	65. Watery snow	98. Watery snow	99. Watery snow	100. Watery snow
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51. Below (prefix)	66. Watery snow	66. Watery snow	67. Watery snow	67. Watery snow	100. Watery snow	101. Watery snow	102. Watery snow
52. Disease of sheep	67. Watery snow	67. Watery snow	68. Watery snow	68. Watery snow	101. Watery snow	102. Watery snow	103. Watery snow
53. Through	68. Watery snow	68. Watery snow	69. Watery snow	69. Watery snow	102. Watery snow	103. Watery snow	104. Watery snow
54. Grow old	69. Watery snow	69. Watery snow	70. Watery snow	70. Watery snow	103. Watery snow	104. Watery snow	105. Watery snow
55. Watery snow	70. Watery snow	70. Watery snow	71. Watery snow	71. Watery snow	104. Watery snow	105. Watery snow	106. Watery snow
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62. Disease of sheep	77. Watery snow	77. Watery snow	78. Watery snow	78. Watery snow	111. Watery snow	112. Watery snow	113. Watery snow
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In loving remembrance of our father, Richard Scarlett, who died 9 years ago today, January 30th.

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Local Industries Ready To Aid in Defense Program

Pertinent Facts Are Brought Out in Regard to Individual Factors

Representatives of key industries and utilities in the tri-state area indicated last night that the concerns they represent are in a position to make a strong response when and if the government sees fit to rally them to the national defense program.

The occasion was the "Industrial Night" party of the Lions Club at the Central Y. M. C. A. Business leaders present represented a good cross section of the industrial, business and utility strength of the area. Pertinent facts brought out in regard to individual factors vital in any well-organized defense program included:

1. Communications—the finest telephone service in the world with the best equipment and plenty of it, a well-trained force including fully mechanized maintenance crews.

2. Transportation—railroads equipped to handle four times the volume of freight now being taken care of.

3. Industries prepared to manufacture defense products.

Speakers and what they said included:

James L. Barrow, manager of the C. & P. Telephone Company—"The Bell system has already furnished the War department with maps showing the locations of phones all over the country and tests have proven that they can be utilized effectively in case of attack by air. In Maryland, we have a \$9,000,000 construction program this year which includes a new cable between Baltimore and Camp Meade and a speedup of the cable program in Cumberland."

Porter D. Collins, Kelley-Springfield—"The government as yet has not asked us for help to meet war requirements. However, we have surplus space that can be utilized when necessary. The government has approved one of our tires as the best of its type for hauling. We are looking for a good year in renewing tire sales with business running at a steady pace."

Carroll E. France, division freight agent, Western Maryland Railway—"The railroads are in the best condition in history to accommodate any volume of traffic."

John Edwards, Jr., superintendent of the Cumberland Division of the B. & O.—Transportation carriers are of the greatest importance in national defense. It is the railroad lines that are always bombed."

Julian G. Patrick, of the West Virginia Pulp & Paper Company of Luke—"The use of paper and allied products is greatly multiplied in defense times. We also have certain by-products necessary in defense work."

William Germann, Postal Telegraph—"We have new equipment enabling us to speed up operations 150 per cent."

Patrick, who gave perhaps the main address of the evening spoke in detail regarding various phases of the paper industry pointing out that not only paper is produced, but milk bottle containers, linoleum, car wheels, shoe soles, raincoats, toys, airplane fabric, chandeliers, artificial silk and explosives.

Mrs. Helen A. Stein Loses \$1,500 Damage Suit against W. A. Clay

A circuit court jury yesterday brought in a verdict in favor of the defendant in the \$1,500 damage suit brought by Mrs. Helen A. Stein, 214 Emily street, against Walter A. Clay, of 1905 Bedord street.

The suit grew out of alleged head injuries received by Mrs. Stein when she was struck by the defendant in a Liberty street tavern last August. In his opening statement, Clarence Lippel, counsel for the plaintiff, said the attack was entirely without proof.

F. Brooke Whiting, acting for Clay, stated his client was motivated in slapping Mrs. Stein because of defamatory remarks passed then and there by her about his family.

Nine Directors Are Elected by Celanese Workers Credit Union

Nine directors, including two women, were elected Thursday night at the fourth annual meeting of the Celanese Workers Federal Credit Union, No. 2422.

They are William Meagher, Miss Nellie Huff, James W. Boyland, George A. Meyers, John G. Thomas, Kermit Van Pelt, Warren Nichols, Harry Hart and Mrs. Pearl Miller.

The credit committee includes Charles Smith, Mrs. Lillian Boyland and Mrs. Nina Ours. The supervisory committee is composed of Fred George, Mrs. Eva Chaney and Harry Fraley.

A dividend of two per cent was declared on all full shares.

The first meeting of the new board will be held Feb. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the Textile hall.

Live Stock Crossing On Highways Bobs Up In General Assembly

The Garrett county delegation introduced a state-wide bill in the General Assembly in Annapolis yesterday requiring the State Roads commission "at the request of any farmer whose land is divided by a highway, and who regularly drives live stock across such highway" to erect signs warning of such crossing. Live stock would have the right-of-way.

Local Delegation Will Confer with Byron on Airport

City Officials and Others Will Go To Washington This Morning

A Cumberland delegation headed by Mayor Harry Irvine will leave for Washington today to confer with Rep. William D. Byron and upon their return hope to announce that the airport is in the bag.

The delegation will include the mayor, members of the city council, Charles Z. Heskett, city solicitor, Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer, John J. McMullen, Owen Hitchins, James Shriner and Oscar Gurley.

This delegation represents all the groups which have worked hard and long to bring the project here and includes not only city officials but representatives of the airport committee of the chamber of commerce and close friends of Rep. William D. Byron, who has been very active in trying to make the project a certainty.

The delegation is scheduled to confer with Rep. Byron this afternoon.

Approval of the airport site near Wiley Ford, W. Va., as a defense site by Secretary of War Stimson was announced Monday by Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer.

Byron said final details for the airport, estimated to cost \$3,000,000 could be worked out at today's conference.

Cumberland has pledged \$150,000 toward the project. Plans call for a large field with numerous runways and hangars. An administration center, parking and lighting facilities.

Joseph H. Seibert, district engineer, and William H. Rice, Allegany county superintendent of the WPA conferred with Rizer yesterday on final plans.

Sgt. Charles Magaha Attends Meeting of Police Executives

Sgt. Charles W. Magaha, in charge of state police in Allegany and Garrett counties, was among police executives from Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia, the District of Columbia, Delaware and Maryland who attended a conference on "Cooperative Action in Case of Emergency" last night at Pikesville.

Julian G. Patrick, of the West Virginia Pulp & Paper Company of Luke—"The use of paper and allied products is greatly multiplied in defense times. We also have certain by-products necessary in defense work."

William Simmons Is Described as "Fair" Condition

The condition of William Simmons, 17, of Bedford road, who suffered a fractured skull Tuesday night when he hit a culvert, remained "fair" last night at Allegany hospital. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simmons.

Ernest Bennett Accepts Position in Akron with Church Committee

Ernest Bennett of 720 Brookfield avenue, who recently returned to his home here from Europe where he was in charge of relief organizations in Spain and France has accepted a position in Akron, O.

Bennett left this week for Akron where he will serve as a member of the Mennonite Central Committee which is sponsoring relief work in some sections of France and Spain.

'Oldtimers' Night' Celebrated by Elks Lodge with Presentation of Gold Pins

Frank L. Fisher, only Surviving Charter Member, Gets Fifty-year Emblem

Officers and members of Frostburg Lodge, No. 470, were invited to the celebration. Following the ceremonies an oyster feed was served in the grill room.

Besides Mr. Fisher, the charter member, the following members with over twenty-five years membership attended:

William F. Kerber, John F. Wellington, Dr. H. V. Denning, William L. Morgan, James A. Conway, William Torrington, Eugene C. Landis, Walter Seel.

The buttons were given in recognition of twenty-five or more years as members of the Local lodge. One member, Frank L. Fisher, the only surviving charter member, was presented with a gold button for fifty-four years membership.

About the size of a dime coin, the buttons are beautifully designed with an elk's head as the center piece, a small diamond brilliant above the elk's head and the use of the Eleven o'clock emblem makes it most noteworthy.

Each of the oldtimers gave short talks in which they reminisced on years gone by and members who were especially active in Elksdom.



HONORED BY CLUB—Officers of the Women's Sport Club for last year were feted Tuesday night in the private dining room of the Fort Cumberland hotel. The retiring officers reading from left to right are: Miss Codie Whitman, vice president; Miss Eleanor Coffey, secretary; Miss Agnes Byers, president; and Miss Amelia Ann Claus, treasurer. Forty club members attended the dinner. Decorations were in the club's colors.

New Income Tax Rates Affect Local Citizens

Thousands of Marylanders To Pay First Federal Levy This Year

Persons Taxed in 1940 Will Find Changes To Cost Them More

Western Maryland's annual head-scratching, pencil biting bout of wrestling income tax returns has begun according to the federal internal revenue office here.

Many local citizens and thousands of Marylanders who never paid a federal income tax before, will have to dig down into their pockets between now and March 15 for the benefit of the United States Treasury, the local office warned.

And almost all the 300,000 persons who paid a federal income tax last year will find that the new tax schedules will cost them more money.

Agents Will Assist

In order to aid those who need help in filing their returns the local office of the Internal Revenue Bureau will have an additional deputy collector from the Baltimore office here beginning Tuesday.

At those points the new line will link with cable networks for the East and Far West to provide the first all-cable trans-continental telephone line.

According to the local office of the Federal Internal Revenue Bureau, the following are the principal changes effective in the tax on 1940 incomes:

The requirement to file a Federal income tax return will be based on gross income.

Every single person with a gross income of \$800 or more, and every married couple with a gross income of \$2,000 or more will be required to file a return, whether or not income justifies a tax.

The personal exemptions which may be claimed against net income are reduced to \$800 in the case of single persons, and \$2,000 in the case of married couples or heads of families.

Taxpayers with a surtax net income less personal exemption after she pleaded guilty to inserting an advertisement in local newspapers on July 27, 1939, and soliciting repair work on artificial teeth. However, she had to pay \$4 court costs.

Dr. O. Ray Hedrick, 223 Baltimore avenue, requested a jury trial and was released on his own recognizance when arraigned yesterday in trial magistrates court on charges of advertising his profession as a dentist in a manner contrary to Maryland laws.

Magistrate Frank A. Perdue said Dr. Hedrick is accused of mailing out cards larger than those required by Section 11, Article 32, of the Public General Laws of Maryland.

The laws also cover the information contained on such cards, he added.

Dr. Hedrick was released pending his appearance before the April term of circuit court.

His wife, Hilda C. Hedrick, received a suspended \$50 fine Nov. 17, 1939, in trial magistrates court after she pleaded guilty to inserting an advertisement in local newspapers on July 27, 1939, and soliciting repair work on artificial teeth.

Every income tax has been computed, will pay an additional ten per cent of it as a "defense tax."

Obligation To File

Asked how many additional taxpayers will be created by the new schedules and what additional revenue will be collected in Western Maryland, Richard J. Stakem, deputy collector here, said that it was impossible to make an estimate.

"We just don't know," he said. "We'll have to wait and see."

The most important change in the income tax provisions bureau officials insist, is that regarding the obligation to file a return.

Basing that obligation on gross income will mean that every regularly employed single person making \$16 a week or more, in fact, everyone whose total income amounted last year to \$800, will have to fill out and file income-tax blanks.

And every married person making \$40 a week and, therefore, having a total annual income of \$2,000 will be in the same boat.

"Of course, a great many persons having to file returns will not need to pay taxes, but nevertheless, the obligation to file returns remains," a bureau official said.

Gross Income

An unmarried person who is, nevertheless, the head of a family, can claim a personal exemption of \$2,000 when he calculates his tax, but like other single persons he must file a return if his gross income exceeds \$800.

Figured as gross income are an individual's salary, his gross income from rents, any profits on the sale of property, gross receipts from services (a doctor's fees for example), or the income from produce sold off a farm.

If the taxpayer is engaged in a business of buying and selling, the gross income is the total of sales or receipts, less the cost of goods sold, before any allowance is made for

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Bill Would Change Method of Selling School Property

Legislation was introduced in the General Assembly in Annapolis yesterday authorizing the Allegany County Commissioners to sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of ground or buildings no longer needed for school purposes.

The bill exempts Allegany county from existing state-wide law permitting county school boards to dispose of such property.

The measure was introduced by Charles M. See of Cumberland and Lester B. Reed, of Mt. Savage.

CHIEF SENATE PAGE—Tradition went overboard when the Maryland senate selected Mrs. Cullen McCurdy, Baltimore housewife and mother, its chief page. She draws \$7 per diem, or \$2 more than the senators. The first of her sex to hold the senate post she has been a worker for years in Democratic ranks.

One Divorce Is Granted as Three Suits are Filed

Judge Huster Grants Absolute Decree to Rose M. Block

Associate Judge William A. Hunter granted one divorce decree yesterday as three more petitioners docketed suits in circuit court.

Judge Huster granted an absolute decree to Rose M. Block from John B. Block. The Blocks were married in May, 1923, in Johnstown, Pa., and separated three years later. Edward J. Ryan represented Mrs. Block.

Wheeler Files Suit

Arbeary Wheeler, of Cumberland, filed suit for an absolute divorce from his wife, Eleanor Wheeler, whom he charged with setting up a separate home in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Wheeler, represented by Paul M. Fletcher, attorney, charges that his wife "has never been satisfied to live with him for more than a short time and has always insisted upon deserting and abandoning him with his consent or any fault upon his part."

Wheeler stated that he and his wife were married in 1930 and lived together until 1940. Prior to 1940 she left him several times and went to Pittsburgh, his petition states.

Four children were born of the marriage. Two of the children, two sons, are now living with Wheeler and a son and daughter are residing with Mrs. Wheeler in Pittsburgh. Wheeler has asked for the custody of the two children now living with their viewpoint.

Frank E. Smith, this city, is a member of the council's state budget emergency committee which has demanded drastic reductions in the Maryland budget in order to conserve every tax dollar possible to meet the huge cost of national defense.

Ann Schellhaus Is Able To Return Home

Ann Schellhaus, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schellhaus, of Willowbrook road, who was seriously injured Jan. 19 in a coasting accident, was discharged yesterday from Allegany hospital.

The child suffered a fractured skull when the sled on which she was riding crashed against a tree near her home.

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Cumberland Dollar Days Are Here Again to the Delight of Shoppers

Twice Yearly Event Is Eagerly Awaited by Tri-State Area

Happy days are here again—the widely known Cumberland Dollar Days—and shoppers will come from all the surrounding towns as in the past.

The twice-a-year bargain days are a favorite with the 100,000 shoppers of the Tri-State area and buses and trains do a record business transporting persons to this city. Many also drive to Cumberland in their own cars for the event.

Not only merchandise in stock, but new stocks just purchased are reduced in price thus offering the shopper excellent values.

Everything On Sale

Listed among the thousands of bargains are specials in furniture, footwear, dresses, coats, suits, Millinery, underwear, beauty service, cosmetics, kitchen utensils, rugs, linoleum, auto accessories, used cars and countless other values. The bargains in the advertisements are only a sample of those on display in store windows and in stores.

Stores will be open at 9 a.m. and close at 5 p.m. tomorrow and Friday, and remain open Saturday until 9 p.m.

Many shoppers read the ads in